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Hijacker Bails Out Over Central America

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A skydiving hijacker armed with a pistol bailed out over Central America today, apparently richer by $303,000 he extorted from Eastern Air Lines, while a second American passenger jet was forced to fly to Cuba.

The disappearance of the armed Vietnam veteran who had demanded the ransom and six parachutes brought to an end a hijacking that had begun Friday in Pennsylvania.

Herman Vales Sosa, commandant of the airport at Merida, Mexico, where the Eastern 727 jet finally landed, quoted the fatigued crew as saying the hijacker had left the plane near San Pedro Sula in Honduras, about 760 miles southeast of Mexico City.

Details of the final stage of the 21-hour marathon hijacking were sketchy. Earlier reports said the man had bailed out over the jungle near the border of Mexico and British Honduras.

The sky pirate boarded the jet in Allentown, Pa., and after two stops at Washington's Dulles Airport and one in New Orleans, La., he directed the plane toward British Honduras.

During the stop at New Orleans, he traded the original three-engine jet, by then reportedly hobbled with a hydraulic problem, for a fresh Eastern 727.

On the first stop at Dulles the hijacker was given the $303,000 and the parachutes in return for releasing the 48 passengers and one stewardess.

But he ordered the plane back to Dulles to exchange his ransom for one in bills of a larger denomination.

The second hijacking began Friday afternoon shortly after a Western Airlines 737 jet left Salt Lake City for Los Angeles, where an armed sky pirate released four children and seven adult passengers and said he wanted to be flown to Hanoi but decided instead on Cuba.

The hijacker, who demanded U.S. withdrawal from Indochina and passage to a Communist country, then took off with 64 passengers and six crewmen for Dallas, Tex., and a refueling stop.

The plane then went to Tampa, Fla., to refuel again, and then headed for Cuba, arriving in Havana early today.

The eastern hijacker, described as well dressed, wellspoken and businesslike, carrying what one passenger said was a .38-caliber revolver, made the plane circle the Washington area for 5 1/2 hours and then return to Dulles because he did not like the denomination of the bills in the ransom.

He had demanded payment in bills of $100, $500 and $1,000, apparently to make a lighter bundle for a parachute getway. The airline originally paid him in $100 bills, saying it was all they could get on short notice. But the larger bills were provided on the second stop.

This was the 11th hijacking since last Nov. 12 in which a hijacker sought a ransom and the 10th in which a ransom and parachutes were requested.

CHARLESTON'S MAN OF THE YEAR award was presented last night by Lion's Club President Herbert Marshall, left, to Robert H. Coon. Mrs. Coon received a bouquet of red roses.

Jackie Coon

Linda Commer

Fred Nolley

Jackie Coon Top Scholar

Three Seniors Honored

NEW MADRID — Jackie Coon, Linda Commer and Fred Nolley were announced award winning seniors at the second annual ahonors banquet Friday night at New Madrid High School.

Miss Coon was named valedictorian, Miss Commer, salutatorian, and Nolley received the Raymond T. Sides $500 memorial scholarship.

Daughter of Mrs. Maxine Coon and Johnnie Coon, Miss Coon received a certificate of achievement from Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, waiving incidental fees for 1972-73. Departmental awards given Miss Coon include two shorthand pins for achieving 110 and 120 words per minute and an outstanding athlete award for her accomplishments in volley ball. She plans to attend SEMO State and major in business education and minor in physical education.

Miss Commer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Commer. Among departmental awards presented her were shorthand pin for 110 words per minute, contemporary issues medal, senior English medal and the John Phillip Sousa outstanding musicianship award. Her name will be engraved on a permanent plaque in the band department. She will attend SEMO state and major in business education and minor in data processing.

Nolley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Nolley of Kewanee, plans to major in music at SEMO State. The memorial scholarship received by Nolley is based on ability, need and merit. The scholarship was established by the Jaycees and is financed by civic organizations.

Other awards given Nolley were band master award, a medal for band achievement and progress, outstanding basketball player, athletic letter, outstanding senior in choral music, physics medal and four-year mathematics award.

Demo Candidates Coming To Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- At least 19 of the Democratic candidates for statewide offices, including the four major gubernatorial contenders, will be in Cape Girardeau May 13 for a Democrat Candidates Day.

The event, sponsored by the Southeast Missouri State College Young Democrats, the Cape County Democratic Central Committee, and the Cape County Democratic Womens Club, will be held by the band shell in Capaha Park, at 3 p.m.

The four leadinf contenders for the party's nomination for governor, Lt. Gov. William S. Morris, Jackson County Prosecutor Joseph Teasdale, State Sen. Earl Balckwell, and former St. Louis Circuit Attorney Edward L. Dowd, have indicated they will attend.

On hand will be contenders for the nomination for lieutenant governor and state treasurer.

Heading the list of lieutenant governor hopefuls will be Rep. Jack J. Schramm and House Speaker James Godfrey.

Topping the list of treasurer candidates are Larry Carp, Clayton, House Appropriations Committee Chairman E J. "Lucky" Cantrell, and former Rep. James I. Spainhower.

Other leading contenders, who will be at the Candidates Day, are Secretary of State James C. Kirkpatrick and Rep. James E. Spain, Bloomfield, a candidate for attorney general.

At 4 p.m. each candidate will speak. A barbecue will be held at 5:30 p.m.

Former Sikeston Man's Wife Killed

TULSA, Okla. -- Rex F. Peterson, former Sikeston, Mo., resident, is reported in fair condition today by St. Francis Hospital officials after a Thursday night automobile accident in which his wife, Joy, was killed.

The headon collision occurred near here.

Peterson, 3915 East Third St., is a brother of Mrs. Jim Lambert of Sikeston.

Services for Mrs. Peterson, 56, will be Monday at 11 a.m. in the Immanuel Baptist Church.

Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery in Vinita with Butler's Chapel of the Roses Funeral Home, in charge.

Born Aug. 2, 1915, she was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; her father, Otto Britginson, Vinita; two brothers, Jess Briginson, of Jay; Stanley Britginson, Big Cabin; three sisters, Mrs. Pearl Forstell of California; and Mrs. Oneta Hamilton and Mrs. Maxine Chanley, both of Vinita.

Eight Countries To Limit Steel Exports To U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House announced today that Japan and seven Western European countries have agreed to halt further inroads into the U.S. market for steel through 1974.

Under a new three-year voluntary agreement to curb their exports, the foreign producers said they would limit their share of the American market to the present level of 15 per cent.

In a statement, President Nixon said:

"This undertaking represents a substantial improvement over the arrangements of the last three years and will enable domestic steel producers to make their plans with confidence that imports will not be disruptive in the domestic market. It will help preserve the jobs of American steel workers."

Besides agreeing to limits on over-all steel exports, the foreign producers agreed to even more stringent curbs on exports of higher-priced specialty steels such as strainless, tool and other alloys.

In these categories, the voluntary limits for 1972 and 1973 will represent rollbacks from last year's actual shipment levels.

The United Kingdom, for the first time, joined Japan and the European iron and steel community in initialing the export restrictions. The other countries involved are Belgium, France, West Germany, Italy, Luxembourg and the Netherlands.

Charges Filed In Cairo Shooting

CAIRO — Murder charges have been filed against Harold E. (Brad) Halley in connection with the fatal shooting of the owner of the Stork Club, according to Alexander County Sheriff Donald Turner.

Halley, 38, a former resident of Sikeston and the ex- husband of the dead man's widow, was held in the county jail. He was arraigned Thursday before Judge Mike O'Shea.

Sheriff's deputies found Halley sitting at the bar of the Stork Club Thursday morning when they arrived to investigate the death of the club's owner, Mearl Chamness, 40, at 4 a.m. Thursday.

A .38 caliber pistol was on the bar in front of where Halley sat, according to police. All five of its shells had been fired.

A pistol reportedly owned by Chamness was at the bar near where his body lay. According to reports, two of its shells had been fired.

Chamness was struck in the back by three bullets from a .38 caliber pistol. Two passed through him, while the third lodged in his body.

Chamness' body was on the floor near the cash register behind the bar when police arrived on the scene.

Halley, former operator of the Southern Belle night club, south of the location of the Stork Club, was formerly married to Chamness' widow, Marlaine.

Chamness had purchased the Stork Club a month ago. Prior to an accident which resulted in the amputation of a portion of left leg, Chamness had worked on the river as a barge hand.

Bomb In Farm House Dismantled

MINER — A highway patrol bomb squad from Jefferson City this morning dismantled a bomb made of six sticks of dynamite found yesterday in an abandoned house three miles south of here.

The bomb was found by Norman Jones of 236 North Handy St., Sikeston. Jones bought the property and was planning to move the old house and convert it into a barn. He was working at the house yesterday when he found the explosive.

The highway patrol said the dynamite appeared to be old. The bomb squad was called in because the nitrate in the dynamite appeared to have degenerated and the patrol feared the bomb might explode if jarred. The dynamite was detonated after it was removed from the house.

Weather Review

Weather observations are for the 24-hour periods ending at 7 a.m. daily.

	High	Low	Rain
April 29	72	57	.00
April 30	79	64	.46
May 1	68	57	.59
May 2	71	49	.00
May 3	69	47	.00
May 4	74	48	.00
May 5	79	61	.00

Rainfall for the week.....1.05
Rainfall for the month.....59
Rainfall for the year.....17.65

	'69	'70	'71	'72
Jan.	10.56	.96	4.01	2.36
Feb.	2.28	2.66	6.81	5.48
Mar.	3.20	5.92	1.68	2.70
Apr.	5.96	8.39	2.34	6.52
May	1.96	2.97	3.68	
June	1.26	8.61	7.70	
July	3.29	2.18	5.05	
Aug.	3.29	3.41	5.32	
Sept.	2.17	4.97	4.74	
Oct.	2.99	5.04	1.71	
Nov.	3.78	2.26	2.54	
Dec.	2.02	3.87	4.20	
	43.50	53.18	49.78	

Parma Man Car Victim

Harold D. Graham, 22, Parma, was killed this morning at 1 a.m. in a one-car accident three miles south of Morehouse on route E.

According to the highway patrol, Graham was traveling south at high speed when his 1964 Plymouth apparently ran off the road and overturned. He was thrown 40 feet from the vehicle and was killed instantly.

The body is at Boyd Funeral Home in Malden.

Auto Sales Firm Sold

Ferrell Auto Sales on West Malone has been sold to Dennis Wilson according to Bill Ferrell, former owner.

Ferrell said there will be no change in the firms name.

Close Street Entrance

City officials have announced the closing of the east and west entrances to Lake Street from Main Street. They will be closed due to construction from today until Wednesday.

Two Arrests In 3-Vehicle Crash

DEXTER — Two men were arrested and one person slightly injured in a three-vehicle accident at 11:10 a.m. Thursday, three miles south of here on Highway 25.

According to the highway patrol, a 1972 Pontiac, driven by Clay Junior Wilfong, 54, struck the rear of a pickup truck, driven by Paul Wayne Morgan, 22, of Bernie. The Morgan vehicle then struck the rear of a car driven by Lowell Wayne Shelby, 19, of Parma. Morgan was treated and released from Dexter Memorial Hospital.

The patrol said Wilfong was arrested on Route H by Sgt. Joe Matthews and charged with leaving the scene of an accident, driving while intoxicated and driving without an operators license. They also charged the car he was driving was reported stolen by a car rental agency in St. Louis.

A passenger in the Wilfong car, Morris Wright, Jr., was charged with public intoxication.

Both men are being held in the Stoddard county jail.

Wilfong has a police record in Stoddard county, including a forgery charge pending since 1968 for which he was never taken into custody. He was released in April of 1969, from the Missouri penitentiary, where he served a four-year sentence for passing bogus checks.

At 10 p.m. yesterday in Portageville, Alonzo Wigfall, 17, of Portageville, was struck by a car while crossing highway 162.

The driver of the car, William Covey, 60, of Portageville, told police he did not see the boy crossing the street until he hit him.

Wigfall received cuts and bruises. He was treated and released from Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

Council Elects Gary Ryan

Gary B. Ryan

PORTAGEVILLE -- Gary B. Ryan of Kennett was unanimously elected executive vice president of the Missouri Delta Council Thursday night, Pat Burlison, Hornersville, chairman of the board of directors, announced.

Ryan, 34, is a native of Colorado and graduated from Southeast Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau in 1962. He completed law school at South Texas College of Law, in Houston in 1970.

He is married and has two sons.

Ryan will assume his position on the board Monday.

Area leaders elected as board members:

Phillip Shelton, Malden, executive director of the Bootheel Regional Planning Commission; Norman Brown, superintendent of the University of Missouri Delta Research Center; Marion R. Waggener, Charleston; member, Missouri Division of Commerce and Industrial Development; Glenn Patton, University of Missouri Extension Service; and Camille Huber, Office of Economic Opportunity.

Charleston Honors Go To Insurance Agent

CHARLESTON — Man of the Year honors were bestowed on Robert H. Coon at last night's Sixth Annual Lions Club award banquet in the armory.

More than 200 persons heard Lions President Herbert Marshall cite the accomplishments of Coon.

Coon, a graduate of St. Henry's High School, attended St. Louis University and continued his graduate work at an insurance school in Hartford, Conn.

He has served as president of the Lion's Club, Chamber of Commerce, Country Club, and the Southeast Missouri Association of Insurance Agents.

In 1969 he was chairman of the community betterment committee when the city took second place in the state contest.

Coon has been an active scoutmaster 10 years and is president of St. Henry's School Board. A member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, he serves on the industrial development committee, the urban renewal commission and the parks and recreation board.

Owner of Coon's Insurance Agency, he and his wife, the former Shirley Collier, are parents of five sons. Three of the sons are Eagle Scouts.

Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, was introduced by Blair Moran as "a true friend and great asset to our area."

Eagleton spoke on the changes taking place in the country, the growth in economy and population and the trend to urbanization. He said the flow of population from small communities and rural areas should be stopped.

Eagleton said:

"A new rural development bill just passed by the Senate directed strong government action toward three main objectives: preservation of the independent family farm pattern of agriculture; improvement of public services in rural communities; and provides credit resources adequate to the task of rural development.

"The success of a new program will not lie with the federal officials who will administer it, it will be up to you to work to improve your communities and help create the opportunities that will enable your children and neighbors to remain in your community."

Sheriff W. J. "Pedro" Simmons was master of ceremonies and introduced past men of the year, A. J. Drinkwater, Marion Waggener, and H. R. Hequembourg. Simmons was man of the year in 1968 and a moment of silence was observed in honor of the late John Harris Marshall, man of the year, in 1967.

Dinner was served by members of the 202 D. Engineer Company of the National Guard. S/Sgt. 6 Tony Giltz, Sgt. 5 Charles Lingle, E4 Robbin Chambers and PFC. 3 Caroll Morrow posted the colors, prior to the pledge of allegiance led by Eagle Scout Walter Pollock. Mrs. Herbert Marshall sang the national anthem, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn Stewart.

Invocation and benediction were offered by the Rev. William H. Mathae.

$8,470 In Tax Collection

The city collected $8,470.17 in taxes last month, according to C. W. Martin, city collector.

Current tax collections totaled $983.68, including $491.39, in real estate; $488.81 in personal; and $3.48 in merchants and manufacturing taxes.

Bank tax collections -- real estate totaled $33. Licenses brought in $1,109.76.

Miscellaneous collections totaled $6,343.76, including $2,403.20 from the housing authority, and $3,888.57 from Associated Natural Gas.

Report Sale Made Upstairs

CHARLESTON — Mrs. Ilene Powell, charged with selling intoxicating liquor to members of the Missouri Liquor Department April 6 without a license, was accused of making the sale in the Cattlemen's Club, according to Mississippi County sheriff's authorities.

The club is located above the Storming Bull Restaurant, where authorities previously said the sale had occurred. Mrs. Powell and her husband, Charles, operate the restaurant and Powell is president of the Club.

Ferry Now In Operation

PORTAGEVILLE — The Tiptonville ferry today resumed services to trucks only. Normal operations to include cars are expected tomorrow.

The ferry has been closed ten days because of water across an access road due to high stages in the Mississippi River.

Steele Woman Dies After Crash

A Steele woman was injured fatally and five others were hurt in two Bootheel traffic accidents yesterday.

Mrs. Clytee Ledbetter, 53, died of injuries while enroute to a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Ledbetter was riding in a car driven by her daughter, Mrs. Sharon Samford, 18 of Steele, who received minor injuries. Her daughter's husband Frank Samford, 18, a passenger, also received minor injuries.

They were taken to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

According to the highway patrol the Samford auto struck the rear of a truck driven by William Martin, 69, of Steele, who was backing out into route C from a private drive.

Injured in the truck were Ruby Martin, 61, wife of the driver, and Shawn Still, 2, of Steele. Both received minor injuries and were taken to Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett.

James Harlin Lowes, 22, of Jackson, was taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau with rib injuries following a two- car accident at 2:50 p.m. yesterday, five miles north of Sikeston on Interstate 55.

According to the patrol, Lowe's car had a blowout, went out of control and struck a pickup truck driven by Leslie Rister, 71, of Sikeston. Both cars left the road and the Rister truck overturned in the median.

It's Inside.....

The Bulldogs rallied for a 8 to 7 win over the Charleston Bluejays. Turn to ... page 5.

New census reports show for the first time in five years there is more farm labor. Turn to ... page 6.

More than 20,000 acres of Stoddard county farmland is flooded. Turn to ... page 7.

.....And Outside

Increasing cloudiness tonight with thundershowers likely tonight and Sunday. Low tonight around 60. High Sunday in 70s. Probability of rain 30 per cent tonight, 50 Sunday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Slight chance of showers on Wednesday, otherwise fair Monday through Wednesday. Temperatures will range in 40s for low and 60s for high.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 79 and 61 degrees.

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Saturday, May 6 — Pince-nez Lens Wipe

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

The four-day work week is becoming more and more popular. The only trouble is that most of those who favor it -- expect to be paid on an eight-day basis.

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GOODBYE TO
CULTURAL CORROSION

Good news seems to be in short supply these days. Thus, whenever we hear some good news, we are happy to pass it on. And it is definitely good news to learn that in the opinion of at least one expert in the field of art, the days of "junk art" are numbered, and that at long last some of the junk that has been passed off to the gullible as "art" is now being accurately labeled for what it is; junk.

In an interview with Miss Marilyn Manion on the "Manion Forum" radio program, Frank Cookman Wright, a distinguished and talented artist who has served in leadership positions for many years in the American Artists Professional League, declared that "some of the fine critics in this country are gradually becoming revolted by the extremism that is called "contemporary art."

"I think the public has tuned it out very rapidly in a lot of places," said Mr. Wright, "and any museum that tries to push it now is going to have a hard time."

How did junk come to be called art in the first place? Much of this, claims Frank Wright, is because we lacked "the moral courage to make value judgements." We've been scared of being called "square" if we "stand up for what's right and what's wrong, what's good and what's bad, what's worthwhile and what isn't."

"I think the best definition on the purpose of art came from Aristotle," said Mr. Wright. "Aristotle says the purpose of art is to make nature more intelligible. I don't think that has ever been improved upon."

We'll buy that. It will be good to see our major museums return to the presentation of coherent, intelligible art.

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Those who ask the most questions remember the fewest answers.

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It was said that the marriage of a Sikeston girl was "quiet and simple" because her family was in mourning following a death. What would they have called noisy? They had a parade, a dinner with champagne, a reception, and presents enough to start a store.

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Could it be the South's turn to save the Union? That is, in fact, what is happening, according to a book called, "You Can't Eat Magnolias," produced by the L.Q.C. Lamar Society and soon to be published by McGraw-Hill.

"The freshest, most hopeful, most energetic section of the country right now is the South," writes Terry Sanford, former governor of North Carolina and now president of Duke University, in one chapter. "The South's time has come, after a century of being the whipping boy ... the backward child. The South can lead the nation ... and all the better, because the nation has never been in greater need of leadership."

A number of the 26 contributors to the book comment that the South is the only region of the country that still has time to build livable cities, design political units people can relate to with confidence, and preserve air worth breathing and water worth drinking. The South is assessed as a newcomer to the affluence of the nation, and despite its violent history of racial conflict, the only region imbued with a youthful spirit of reformation. One central message appears to be: the nation now is hungering for the South's small-town civility and emphasis on personal relationships, and watching hopefully to see if Southern states can demonstrate ways to preserve these values in the midst of urbanization and industrialization.

The manuscript was compiled and edited by H. Brandt Ayers, editor and publisher of The Anniston (Ala.) Star, and Thomas Naylor, professor of economics at Duke University. Ayers is president of the L.Q.C. Lamar Society, organized in 1969, which Ayers calls a group of people "who believed the South could achieve practical solutions to its problems."

Several authors in the Society's book put particular emphasis on the need for the South to control the growth of cities in order to avoid creating "northern replicas" of congestion, pollution and decay.

Racial problems are taken up by a number of the writers in an atmosphere of hope based on the facts that Southern schools have surpassed other regions in integration and that several progressive governors have been elected recently without making race an issue in their campaigns.

Two successful Southern black politicians have chapters in the manuscript — Maynard Jackson, vice mayor of Atlanta, and Curtis Graves, one of the first blacks elected to the Texas Legislature since reconstruction. Both call for a movement based on coalition politics, rather than strictly economic development, or violence.

Several of the writers express deep concern for Southern education. Naylor suggests that each Southern state assemble a citizens committee to define new goals for public education in the 70s, design a prototype educational system to achieve the goals, and then begin selling the program to state legislatures and local governments.

Wallace M. Alston, minister of the First Presbyterian Church of Durham, N.C., and Wayne Flynt, associate professor of history at Samford University, analyze Southern religion in the book.

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If you are especially anxious to please a married woman, you can do it by remarking how beautifully she made over her old dress, in the presence of her husband.

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GOODWILL WEEK

Goodwill Industries of America, this year, will be given special recognition during the observance of Goodwill Week, May 7-13. This outstanding organization has expanded from a fairly humble beginning to a point where it is now nationally recognized as an authority in the field of providing rehabilitation and training for the handicapped.

In Goodwill shops throughout the United States, many thousands of handicapped people have received encouragement, a sense of belonging and precious self-respect that comes with learning new skills and being employed as working members of a useful and productive enterprise. A great many handicapped individuals have gone on from Goodwill training to take positions in competitive industry. At this time, when the cost of welfare threatens to bankrupt a good percentage of our state treasuries and contributes heavily to multibillion dollar deficits at the federal level, we may be thankful that such an organization as Goodwill Industries exists and carries on its fine work completely independent of taxpayer support. A great many of those people now productively employed in the Goodwill program would otherwise be dependent upon some form of government dole or other assistance.

The week of May 7-13, 1972 is a good time to remember that Goodwill Industries deserves the respect and support of each one of us and that it lives by the donation of repairable items. Call your nearest Goodwill Industries office. Remember, what you can no longer use today could help give someone else a new start in life tomorrow.

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When in doubt about the water anywhere you travel, boil it a cup at a time for at least five minutes. This precaution may prevent a stomachache that could spoil the rest of your trip.

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LETTER TO THE
W-I-N-D EDITOR

A letter writer to the Wall Street Journal is puzzled by a new expression being used by many reporters and people in government "wind down," meaning to bring to a conclusion, to end, to finish, etc.

He is puzzled because there is already a phrase in the dictionary — "wind up" — with virtually the same meanings: to end, to finish, to arrive at a place, situation or condition as the result of a course of action.

The writer suggests that some of the representatives in government and the news media can't tell up from down.

This is probably true. Nevertheless, there is a subtle but distinct difference between "wind up" and "wind down."

The latter came into use in connection with the Vietnam war. It may, in fact, have been coined by President Nixon or one of his writers. The phrase suggests the running down of a clock, the untensioning of a spring, the gradual weakening of something formerly strong.

Used to describe the way the Vietnam war is ending, the phrase is entirely apt. Not only has the war's moral questions left many people feeling like "clockwork oranges," but the fighting is allowed to more or less peter out, to go away by itself (in the minds of voters, anyway).

"Wind up," on the other hand, has connotations of positive acti... To "wind up" the Vietnam war would necessitate vigorous, purposeful steps like the Allies took to wind up World War II in 1944-45.

You can't hardly find that kind of war any more.

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Surplus Property. In Santa Monica, Calif., after Mrs. Shirley LaHeist opened a letter addressed to her missing husband and found in it a bill for a $16 wedding ring, cops investigated, arrested Roland LeHeist for bigamy.

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"Nationalization (of the railroads in the U. S.) would be a blow to the taxpayer, to business dependent upon our common carrier system, to the common carriers, to labor and to our basic free enterprise system. It would not solve the railroad problem, but only transfer responsibility for it." -- Mr. Benjamin F. Biaggini, president of the Southern Pacific Transportation Company.

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OF MORALS AND
MEDICINE

Should suicide laws be repealed? Mercy killing be removed from statutes prohibiting homicide? Are we prepared to take affirmative steps toward reducing the number of genetically defective individuals and hopefully eliminate some genetically transmitted conditions?

These are a few of the questions posed in a recent editorial in the Journal of the American Medical Assn. The Judicial Council of that organization has decided to provide leadership in seeking solutions to such urgent and troubling ethical, social and legal dilemmas which have, ironically, resulted from the extraordinary advances in medicine and biology in recent years.

The AMA has named a group of eminent consultants to their advisory committee. To be focused on are six major topics of concern: abortion, technology of reproduction, behavior control, genetic engineering, human experimentation and euthanasia.

"These are not questions of medical ethics to be answered solely or exclusively by physicians. They are ethical issues of society ... Physicians advise, offering the benefit of their expertise, their knowledge, competence and experience."

But even with the best of talent and efforts it is not likely as the journal's editorial admits, that clear-cut answers will be found to these ethical issues.

If, however, the AMA and its committees can organize and effectively transmit information to the public, they will have performed a considerable service in clarifying the issues in these areas that daily gain in significance.

"Can't You See We're Busy?"

TOMORROW
MAY 7 — SUNDAY

CHILDRENS SPRING BOOK FESTIVAL. May 7. Sponsor: Book World, 342 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10017.

HUMANE SUNDAY. May 7. Purpose: "To focus public attention on problems of child abuse and neglect, and the prevention of cruelty to animals." Sponsor: The American Humane Assn., Box 1266, Denver, CO 80201.

MOTHER-IN-LAW DAY. May 7. Purpose: "To honor your mother-in-law who is the butt of jokes." Sponsor American Museum of Comedy, Bill Treadwell, Exec. Dir., Hazelton Circle, Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510.

NATIONAL BE KIND TO ANIMALS WEEK. May 7-13. Purpose: "Promotion of animal welfare and to acquaint the public with the wide scope of public services offered by more than 1,000 animal protective agencies." Sponsor: The American Humane Assn., Box 1266, Denver, CO 80201.

NATIONAL FAMILY WEEK. May 7-14. Church observance.

NATIONAL GOODWILL WEEK. May 7-13. Purpose: "To foster understanding and gain public support for the Goodwill Industries program for rehabilitating handicapped people." Sponsor: Goodwill Industries of America, Inc., Matthew Warren, P. R. Dir., 9200 Wisconsin Ave., Washington, DC 20014.

NATIONAL HOSPITAL [illegible] "To focus attention on the work that hospitals are performing in providing high quality health care." Sponsor: American Hospital Assn., Millard E. Krebs, Dir. of Public Info., 840 N. Lake Shore Dr., Chicago, IL 60611.

NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK. May 7-14. Theme: "Music creates new horizons." Sponsor: Natl. Federation of Music Clubs, 600 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL 60605. Info. from: Mrs. Elmer J. Einum, Natl. Chairman, 721 N. Main St., Rice Lake, WI 54868.

ROGATION SUNDAY. May 7.

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MAY 8 — MONDAY

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY. May 8, NC, SC.

END OF 2ND WORLD WAR IN EUROPE. May 8.

HARRY S. TRUMAN'S BIRTHDAY. May 8. 33rd President of the U. S. born this day in 1884.

NATIONAL INSECTOCUTOR WEEK. May 8-14. Purpose: "To promote a wider use of insectocutors for the control of flying insects by means of electricity." Sponsor: Natl. Assn. of Insect Electrocutor Manufacturers, Barbara Ann Lyon, Secy., Pleasant Valley, NY 12569.

NATIONAL SALVATION ARMY WEEK. May 8-14. Purpose: "To extend public knowledge of the religious and social welfare ministry of the Salvation Army." Sponsor: The Salvation Army, Ralph E. Chamberlain, Dir., Natl. Info. Service, 120 W. 14th St., New York, NY 10011.

PACING THE BOUNDS. May 8, Liestal, Switzerland. "Citizens set off at 8 a.m., and [illegible] of drums and firing of pistols and muskets." Occasion for fetes.

S.O.S. - DAY. SURVIVAL OF SURSERY). May 8. Purpose: "In recognition of the beautiful, brave, champions of the human race who were bold enough to undergo surgery and survived." Sponsor: S.O.S. International Society, A. J. Anthony, Dir., 3526 N. Oketo Ave., Chicago IL 60634.

WORLD RED CROSS DAY. May 8. Purpose: "To honor Henri Dunant, originator of the Red Cross idea and as an international humanitairan movement." Sponsor: American Natl. Red Cross, 17th & D St., N.W., Washington, DC 20006.

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Help wanted ad in the San Francisco Examiner and Chronicle: "Topless Dancers -- must have 2 yrs of college. Prefer Eng. major or Humanities."

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MISTAKEN IDENTITY

The policeman was walking his beat when he saw two men fighting and a little boy standing to one side crying, "Daddy, Daddy!"

The officer pulled the two men apart and, turning to the boy, asked, "Which one is your father, lad?"

"I don't know," the boy said, rubbing the tears away. "That's what they are fighting about!"

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KEEP REALITY IN MIND

A short item from the Houston, Texas, Tribune carries a lot of common ense. It says, "Cleaning up the environment is an excellent cause... but the more militant environmentalists can do more harm than good by appealing to people's emotions without possessing the knowledge to back up their zeal. Thus we see the same people denouncing the electric power companies for polluting the air by using fossil fuels in their generating stations, then screaming to high heaven about the shortages of electric power which occur in their areas at times of peak loads. Similarly, everybody's against over-use of DDT; everybody's concerned over DDT build-up in the bodies of people, mammals, birds and fish where this occurs. But apparently, it means nothing to the overzealous crusaders that when the use of DDT was banned in Ceylon, a million cases of malaria resulted."

It took countless thousands of years for man to achieve the intellectual capacity to produce the longevity and comforts of modern life. Now, there are those who wish to wipe out both in a single stroke -- if they personally can be excluded from the ensuing cataclysm.

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Beggar: "Will you give me a dime, sir?"

Man, after fumbling in his pocket: "I'm sorry, but I haven't any change with me. I'll give it to you when I come by again."

Beggar: "Well -- all right, but you'd be surprised at the money I lose giving credit away."

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Wife: "I had to marry you to find out how stupid you were".

Husband: "You should have known that when I asked you to marry me."

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HIGH FREQUENCY WELD
SPEEDS PRODUCTION

Auto frame members, exhaust pipe tubing and singlewall mufflers are being produced more economically through the use of a new high-frequency, finite-length welding process.

The frames are being manufactured by Budd Automotive Co. of Canada Ltd., in Kitchener, Ont., and Philadelphia, Penna., from less costly steel and with less waste.

The midwest plant of a major auto producer is also using the process, developed by AMF Thermatool, for mufflers and exhaust pipe. The automaker's senior welding engineer says that this method produces dual-wall "laminated" tubing in a single pass.

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The boys of the American Legion Post were discussing the impending marriage of a buddy. "That's an accomplished girl Ben is going to marry," observed one of the men. "She can swim, ride, dance, drive a car and pilot a plane; a real all-around girl."

"They should get along fine," replied another.

"You know Ben is a good cook."

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H.L. Hunt

EXCESSIVE U.S.
CASUALTIES

Asian combat troops should fight Asian wars. President Chiang Kai-shek asked General A. C. Wedemeyer, U.S. Army (Ret.), to assist in getting the consent of the United States to add 250,000 of Chiang's veteran troops into turning back the communist invasion of South Vietnam. General Wedemeyer knew of the capability of the Nationalist Chinese forces, numbering 650,000 American-trained and equipped men, including ground, air and a limited naval force. They would be acclimated to the terrain and weather of Southeast Asia.

Chinag's combat veterans of the Chinese civil war might not have been strong enough to invade Red China but they could have been very effectively used in Indochina before they got too old. Although South Korea was not a member of SEATO, that gallant anti-communist nation maintained a 40,000-man army in South Vietnam, where they proved to be the best acclimated and most feared troops fighting the communists.

If Chiang's offer had been accepted by the U.S., we would have quickly had 290,000 tough Asian troops fighting alongside the South Vietnamese and Americans. As late as 1965 we had suffered only 300 killed in action and had committed only 25,000 troops.

The 290,000 Chinese and Koreans could have won the war in 1962 or 63, preventing the killing of 50,000 U.S. troops and our slow build-up to 600,000 men, which has divided our country and strengthened the communists. We should remember that 80% of the munitions which killed our thousands of troops since 1961 were supplied by the Soviets. The communists are not "mellowing" or seeking peace. HLH.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — For decades, international heroin gangs have sent their deadly wares from Marseilles' back-alley laboratories directly to Mafia distributors in New York City.

But crackdowns have now made this direct trade dangerous for the Corsican criminals in France and their Cosa Nostra counterparts in the New York City area.

Increasingly, they are shipping the addictive white powder through Latin America and the Caribbean, where bribery, bootlegging and bucaneering have been respected pursuits since the days of Blackbeard, Henry Morgan and Captain Kidd.

The Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), which only lately has gotten into dope counterspying, has summarized the problem in a 20-page secret report circulated to a few federal agencies.

Area by area, here is the CIA's picture of this new dope circuit:

Central America -- Mexico produces "15 to 20 per cent (perhaps up to 25 per cent) of all heroin used in the United States ... most notorious of the illicit drug centers in Mexico is Culiacan, capital of the state of Sinaloa.

"It has been called the 'Heroin Capital of Mexico.' Many of the well- to-do townspeople, including those now engaged in legitimate businesses, are said to have gotten their start dealing in narcotics."

The home-grown Mexican heroin is sent to San Diego, Los Angeles, Seattle, Denver, Phoenix, Albuquerque, Houston, Fort Worth and Dallas.

MEXICAN 'FIXES'

Our own investigation has turned up a government - protected dope "shooting parlor" in Juarez, Mexico. Young American addicts from El Paso, some on military drug withdrawal programs, simply cross into Mexico to get a "fix."

Panama, whose foreign minister Juan Tack was recently exposed by us as sanctioning dope traffic, is "one of the great contraband centers of the world," reports the CIA. Heroin pours in from Lima and Santiago, cocaine from Guayaquil and Quito, in Ecuador, and from Colombia. European and Asian dope exporters also use Panama as a transshipment point.

Costa Rica opium crops have been discovered recently "in gardens, in a cemetery, and on the slopes of Irazu Volcano." There are unconfirmed reports of clandestine labs.

The Carribbean -- Nicaragua may be a "transit point for heroin shipped north from South America via Panama to the United States," says the CIA.

Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands have heroin operations run by "Cuban exiles and Puerto Ricans in the United States (who) act as middle men ... while Argentinians, Chileans, Uruguayans, and nationals of other transshipment countries act as couriers."

Guadeloupe, Curacao, Aruba and Trinidad are also named by the CIA as "steppingstones" for shipment of heroin, cocaine, hashish and marijuana to the United States.

South America -- "Bigtime operators with international connections and innumerable small-scale smugglers called 'hormigas' (ants) cross the sievelike borders with impunity," alleges the CIA.

"The busy ports of Barranquilla, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Buenos Aires, Valparaiso, Antofagasta, Callao, Guayaquil, and Buenaventura act as funnels ... Smuggler planes, ranging from Piper Cubs to DC-3s, and even to four-engined Lockheed Constellations ... are used," says the secret CIA report.

OFFICIAL CORRPUTAION

"Most of the drug traffic in South America involves marijuana, which is grown extensively in Colombia, Brazil, and Paraguay and coca leaves and cocaine produced in Bolivia, Peru, Chile and Ecuador.

But there is also some opium production in Columbia and Ecuador.

"An Italian shipping line is currently involved in smuggling heroin from Marseilles, France, to Valparaiso, Chile, via Panama," says the CIA, without naming the shipping line.

"In smuggling by air ... couriers are low-raking members of the smuggling ring with long police records as pickpockets, petty thieves, or prostitutes and are regarded as expendable." The air smuggling would by impossible without "the complicity of corrupt officials," points out the CIA.

Paraguay, as we reported earlier, is a key transshipment center, but there are also widespread narcotics operations in Brazil, Argentina and in Chile whose capital of Santiago supports "one of the biggest narcotics rings on the continent."

It has branch offices "in New York, Miami, Colon, London, Georgetown, Manaus, Sao Paulo, Buenos Aires and elsewhere."

Concludes the CIA: "The flow of heroin from European laboratories through Latin America to the United States is increasing." It results in part from "the integration of heroin traffic with well-established Latin American smuggling operations ..."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Rapes, Muggings, Knifings: Youth Street 'Fighting Gangs' Terrorize Vast School Systems

NEW YORK - Here is the nation's most terror- ridden blackboard jungle. Over its concrete paths roam several hundred "fighting youth gangs," a phrase used by the police to contrast the bands with the "good guy" type who do try to rid their macabre, rotting streets of marauders, muggers and pushers.

In this jungle, in this vast school system, the world' most gargantuan, principals, teachers and school youngsters of all races, colors and creeds are terrorized by invaders from these gangs of all races, colors and creeds.

As teachers try daringly to impart learning and youngsters reach eagerly for it, there is an atmosphere of sickening fear in corridors and classrooms wafting like the odor of anesthesia in hospital hallways.

Leaders of the world's biggest local union, the 72,000 - member United Federation of Teachers (UFT- AFL-CIO) report attempted gang rapes on teachers and young girl students alike; robbery of teachers at knife point; instructors locking themselves in classrooms; teachers thrown downstairs; their colleagues marked with the black- and-blue evidence of pummeling, and injuries which keep them out of the schools for weeks, even months.

The buildings are not the sites of youth gang wars. But the kids peel off, they wear their "colors" inside, they terrorize -- and they are, according to the authorities, some 20,000 strong.

This is the nation's worst, says American Federation of Teachers (AFT) president Dave Selden. Lanky Al Shanker, beleaguered UFT- Local 2 president, says the terror is unbelievable and the Board of Education's insouciance is much to blame.

"The amount of violence in these schools has been increasing horrendously due to official laxity," says Shanker. "Just the other day a young student was raped."

His union reported, for example, the robbing at knifepoint of two young female teachers on Friday, April 20, at 12:30 p.m. at More Effective School 110. The women were threatened by the young, knife- wielding invader. The teacher was forced to surrender jewelry, money, watches, engagement rings, and other valuables including money, of course. The women were also forced to disrobe partially so they could not pursue the stickup youth.

Another female teacher was severely attacked in P.S. 11 by a student last November. The instructor hasn't been able to work since. Another was slugged in P.S. 15 from behind - injuring her head and neck. She, too, has not been able to continue teaching.

There are hundreds of such "incidents" I'm told. They're not reported. They're now so "commonplace" and there is such fear of reprisals that they are not put on the record. But they destroy the atmosphere of learning, says Paul Balser, president of the High School Principals Association.

"We feel that there is more of a need to restore the confidence of parents and children in the safety of the schools," says Balser judiciously. But he is helpless to stop the invasions -- and principals here are retiring at a "massive rate."

As a result of the terror, the school collective bargaining negotiations have some unique twists. In the past the Board of Education agreed to provide legal assistance to its teachers. Yet it hired just one attorney. Teachers calling for his legal aid get a form letter saying help will come as soon as possible. It doesn't come.

How can it with the system having 1.1 million students in 960 schools? Of course, many of these schools are "comparatively safe," which means they're disrupted only by the ringing of fire gongs (creating chaos) or by daily extortions of lunch money, or simple beatings.

But to fight the terror, the local now is asking for a full-time attorney for each school district. Thus if a teacher is slugged and she accuses a "child," and the latter rushes in an American Civil Liberties Union attorney who then lodges countercharges against the instructor who then is booked by the police while the youngster goes free since he is under-age, there will be legal help.

Also Shanker is asking for the assignment of one school security guard for every 175 high school students. All this costs taxpayers' money. All this hits the school system, the youngsters, as well as the teachers. This is the pattern in may big cities. There's not much education in this jungle. And the students suffer most.

Let this nation of many races, colors and creeds take heed. Weed these jungles. Unless we care little about generations of the future.

Looking Back

Crowder Farmer Found Dead In Field

50 years ago
May 6, 1922

Chaffee - Mrs. Jennie Ahrens arrived at Chaffee Saturday for a brief visit with friends

Clyde King of Eldorado, Ill., who has been visiting relatives in Sikeston for the past month, returned to his home Sunday.

McMullin - The Rev. Kennar is holding a revival meeting at Vanduser this week.

News reached Sikeston Monday that James Peter Marshall, a well known farmer of the Crowder vicinity had been found dead in a field where he had been plowing.

40 years ago
May 6, 1932

Morley - Pansy Cruse of Vanduser spent the weekend with Mary Lou Ford.

Word was received here Monday of the tragic death of Chester L Arthur, 42, of Springfield, father of Argel Arthur of this city and a cousin to E. E. Arthur, also of this city, which occurred in a Springfield hotel early that morning. He was once a resident of Sikeston, having lived here some 15 years ago.

Route 1 -- Mrs. B. Beavers was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Kenser.

New Madrid - Little Billy Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howsy Hampton, has returned from the St. Mary's Infirmary Hospital, here he was taken for treatment of a poison the child had taken. The child was in a serious condition, but is improving nicely now.

30 years ago
May 6, 1942

Charles Hunt, 55-year-old farmer who had been working on the Warren York property, six miles northeast of here, died at St. Francis Hospital Wednesday from a stomach ailment.

Dr. H. M. Kendig will leave next Wednesday for Rochester, N. Y., where he will take a six-weeks post-graduate course in surgery in the Mayo Clinic.

Morley - A daughter was born April 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Daughtery. She has been named Karen Rose. Before her marriage Mrs. Daugherty was Miss Melba Rose.

Vanduser - Roy V. Ellise, former Sikeston superintendent of schools and manager of the Delmo Group Labor home colony near Morehouse, will deliver the commencement exercises to members of the senior class here this Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barton were hosts at a buffet supper at their home on North Ranney Sunday complimenting Mrs. E.P. Coleman, jr., on her birth anniversary.

Miss Lorene Nere, who since 1937 has been clerk-operator at the Western Union office here, left Saturday for Kirksville, where she will be manager of the office. Taking her places here was Miss Patsy Amend of Rockyford, Colo.

20 years ago
May 6, 1952

The Cape Girardeau Country Club golf team won its second victory in the Northern division of the Southeast Missouri Round Robin Tournament Sunday with a 39 to 23 victory over the Sikeston Club at the Country Club course at Cape. Medalist for the 18 holes was Hester Alexander of Sikeston with 68 strokes or four under par.

The Sikeston High Bulldogs booted one right into the laps of the Cape Central Tigers at Cape yesterday, 11-4,

Tickets are now on sale for the forthcoming production of the Sikeston High School senior play, "The Thursday Murders." This mystery comedy in three acts will be presented May 16 at the high school auditorium. Members of the cast include: Jim Keasler, Larry Yeargain, Barbara Boyce, Pat Hazel, Ronald Dumay, John Moll, Peggy Knupp, Ann Gentry, Virginia Hambrick, Jerry Lee, Bill Stearns, Juanita Matthews, Peggy Swain, Willadean Richards and Carolyn Jackson.

Mrs. Sam Bains, 48, mother of a local man and sister of three other Sikestonians was fatally injured in a freak accident in West Memphis, Ark., yesterday. According to Miss Maxine Husher of Sikeston, a niece of Mrs. Bains, she had gone to her mailbox which was located alongside a West Memphis highway. While she was there a truck struck a car onthe highway, knocking the car into Mrs. Bains; Survivors include a son, Harold Swanagon of Sikeston and three sisters, Mrs. John Husher, Mrs. Glen Keller, and Mrs. Hildreth Dill of Sikeston.

JAMES BURNEY and Richard McDougal put the finishing touches on a mobile home on display at the Kingsway Plaza Mall through Sunday. This trailer has storm windows and tie-straps.

The Prayer *from* *The Upper Room*

Only be sure that you act on the message and do not merely listen; for that would be to mislead yourselves. (James 1:22, NEB)

PRAYER: Heavelnly Father, help me to diligently search my heart so that my actions will be in accord with Your Word. For Jesus' sake. Amen.

We're quicker on the draw at the bank than any Old West badman ever was.

Vogel Quits As District GOP Chairman

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Cape Girardeau County and the 10th Congressional District have lost their Republican chairman. Raymond H. Vogel, who has held both posts for almost four years announced his resignation from the positions Wednesday.

Vogel said he is resigning from the positions because his candidacy for circuit court judge would not allow him enough time to fulfill his other duties.

Also seeking the GOP nomination for the office of Circuit Court judge is John P. Bradshaw, Cape Girardeau. Stanley A. Grimm, is Democratic candidate for the post.

A meeting of the Cape County Republican Committee has been called for Saturday at 2 p.m. in the circuit court room in the Jackson Courthouse.

Vogel said a temporary chairman will be elected at the meeting and vacancies in the positions of committeemen and committeewomen would be filled.

He added that after the primary in August the new committeemen and committeewomen will select a new chairman.

Vogel was first elected GOP chairman in 1968 and as chairman became a member of the 10th District GOP Committee of which he was also elected chairman. He was reelected to the posts in 1970.

Vogel has long been active in politics, but had never served on the GOP Committee until his election to the post in 1968.

He filed for circuit court judge in April. He has served as a state representative and Cape County prosecuting attorney.

Seniors Will Hear Roney

PORTAGEVILLE — Dr. Robert K. Roney, associate professor and director of the University of Tennessee in Memphis State University graduate center will give the 54th annual commencement address to 87 seniors May 17 in the high school gymnasium.

Dr. Roney is a graduate of Union City High School, Union City, Tennessee. He received a bachelor's degree from Duke University, a master of arts degree from Memphis State University and an educational doctor's degree from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

What's The Law?

Old Body Building Pictures Ruled Out

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Thin and scrawny, Tom looked like he had just completed a successful hunger strike. Consequently, he signed up for a course at Mike's Body-Building Emporium, where the first activity was to take pictures of Tom in a slouched position and wearing baggy shorts. The last activity, two years later, was also to take pictures of him. This time, however, he was posed in an up-right position, with muscles flexed and wearing tight-fitting swim trunks.

Satisfied with the course, Tom, as per request, readily gave Mike permission to use the "Before" and "After" pictures in advertising and promoting Mike's body-builder course. Mike, however, didn't use the pictures until 10 years later. And when Tom saw them in a local newspaper, he blew his stack and sued Mike for damages.

"He had no right to publish those pictures at this date," complained Tom in court. "They've caused me all kinds of embarrassment. I'm now 34 years old and hold a responsible executive position. Since those pictures were printed, my subordinates, behind my back, have been calling me "Tarzan" and, less flattering,' 'Muscle Head."

"I had no intention of causing Tom any embarrassment," was Mike's answer. "I merely found the pictures tucked away in the back of a drawer and decided to use them. And since the authorization Tom gave me contained no time limit, I had a right

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make Mike pay for Tom's embarrassment?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that Tom had a right to assume that the pictures would be used shortly after being taken. For Mike to have used them 10 years later, concluded the judge, required new permission since what may seem proper to a 24-year-old man may not seem proper to a 34-year - old man. (Based upon a 1961 Louisiana Supreme Court Decision)

Ten Seniors Will Be CommencementSpeakers

Robert Reynolds, Wanda Gardner,Jammie Beaird, and Sheila Lathum will be the featured sneakers at the annual commencement exercises Monday, May 29.

Senior class president John Sargent will preside and introduce the speakers for the exercises.

Merry Gay Evans will give the invocation and Maida Harrington will give the benediction. Superintendent Sam Harbin will be introduced by Carl Schorle.

Principal Roger Sherman will be introduced by Julia Thompson. President of the Board of Education Phil Barkett will be introduced by Terri Mitchell.

Thirteen seniors tried out for speaker positions.

Theme for the commencement exercises has not been announced, but will be disclosed in the next edition of the Barker.

Concert choirs VI and VII, directed by Gordon Beaver, will sing various selections during the baccalaureate services Sunday evening and at commencement exercises Monday evening.

Senior inner choir will also sing various selections during the commencement exercises.

Congratulations

According to E. R. Dowling, electronics instructor, his graduating class of students have attained an outstanding attendance record, having a class average of 96 per cent for a given time of 9444 hours over a two-year period of instruction.

Mr. Dowling feels this may be a new record attendance percentage and it also says something for a student's interest in the vocational area.

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If a single man achieves the highest kind of love, it will be sufficient to neutralize the hate of millions.

Vocal Students Will Present Concert Sunday

Sikeston high school concert choirs, directed by Gordon Beaver, will present their annual pop concert this Sunday in the high school cafetorium at 2:30 o'clock.

The pop concert will be opened by Choir VI. The group will perform "Peaceful River," and "People" from the musical "Funny Girl."

Senior Mike Limbaugh will sing "Caroline" while he accompanies himself on the guitar. Chair VI will follow with "Over the Rainbow" from "The Wizard of Oz." Seniors Mike Grigery and Darrell Barksdale will sing the tenor solo on the concluding number by Choir VI, "Sunshine in My Soul." Laretha Harris and Marsha Entrekin are accompanists for this group.

Moderne Chorale will sing "As Long As He Needs Me" from the musical "Oliver." The two following numbers will be "Shoo Fly Pie," and "Who Can I Turn To" from "The Roar of the Greasepaint." Laretha Harris is the accompanist for Moderne Chorale.

Southeast Missouri All-District Choir will perform two numbers. They will sing "An Answer For Our Time" as Chuck Hanna accompanies them on the guitar. The other number by this group will be "Swing Chariot." Bonnie Harris is the accompanist for this group.

Concert Choir VII will follow with "Try To Remember" from "The Fantasticks."

"Tonight" from "West Side Story" will follow. Darrell Barksdale will sing "Heart of Gold" as he accompanies himself on the guitar.

Senior Larry Johnson will sing the tenor solo on "In Dat Great Gittin' Up Morning." The concert will be concluded with Choir VII singing "Aquarius." Bonnie Harris and Melodie Powell are accompanists for this choir.

CORRECTION

First year for seniors to present their commencement program in Sikeston high school was May of 1957. The four principal addresses were given by Margaret Coates, Bing Limbaugh, Kay Tetley, and Tony]Heckemeyer.

Barker printed last week that the first year was 1960.

SHS Offers Summer Class Of Typewriting

Sikeston high school is offering a course in personal typewriting for one- half credit for the summer session.

Class will start June 5 and close July 21, and it will meet daily from 9 to 12 o'clock. A minumum of 20 students at a cost of $30 each is required before the class will be offered.

If more students enroll than the minimum, the cost will be lowered.

Students taking this course will not need to take typing during the regular school term.

It will also meet the requirements for entry into office training I and secretarial training I if the student attains a grade of "C" or better, and is able to type 30 words per minute.

Any students interested should contact Howard Brown in "G" office or call extension 44.

It also takes two to make up after a quarrel.

Do not judge your friend until you have stood in his place.

He who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers lowe.

The door to the human heart can be opwned only from the inside.

The light of freindship is like the light of phosphours, seen when all around is dark.

A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband, while a man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

Some cause happiness wherever they go; others whenever they go.

To be without some of the things you want is an indispensable part of happiness.

Water which is distant is no good for a fire which is near.

One of the mysteries of life is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry the daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world.

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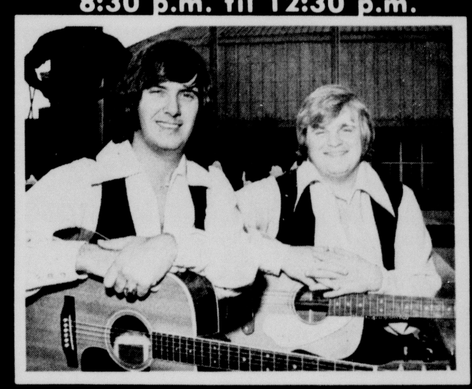

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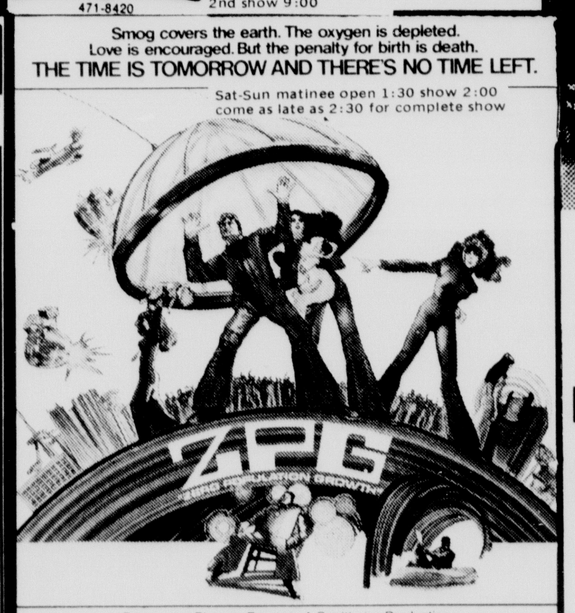

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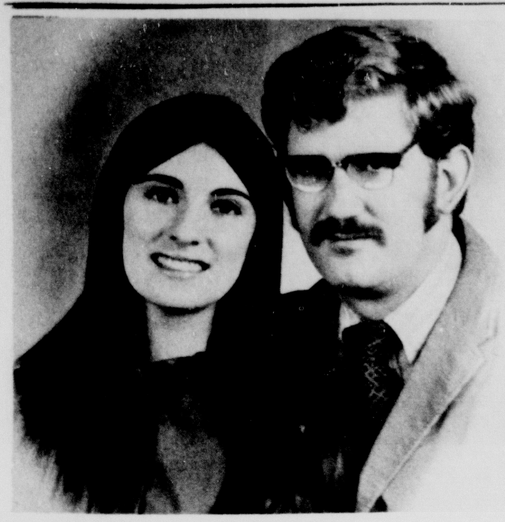

CHERYL GIVENS and David Stone will exchange wedding vows June 6 in Logan, Utah.

Southerland New Madrid -Stone

DEXTER — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Southerland announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Kaye Givens, to David Ray Stone III, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Stone II of Logan, Utah.

Miss Givens is a 1966 graduate of Poplar Bluff High School. She has worked for Barnes hospital in St. Louis as a technician and evening supervisor of the heart station. She has also worked for St. Louis Childrens hospital in inhalation therapy.

Stone graduated from Logan high school in 1963 and attended Utah State College. He served a two-year mission for the Mormon church in southwest Arizona with the Hopi and Apache Indians.

He completed college at Utah State and is a dental student at Washington University in St. Louis. He will graduate May 28.

Wedding vows will be exchanged June 6 at Logan Temple in Logan, Utah.

Community Calendar

MONDAY
Rotary Club meets 6:15 p.m. Monday at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, highway 61.

MONDAY
Kiwanis Club meets 6:30 p.m. Monday at Gardner's Cafe at Cross Truck Stop, highway 61 north.

MONDAY
Masonic Lodge meets 8 p.m. Monday at the Masonic temple.

MONDAY
A one-act operetta "The Atomic Bookshop" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the New Madrid high school gymnasium by the junior high students directed by Miss Eva Horton. Cary Phillips is producer and Horrell Townsend, accompanist. No admission will be charged.

MONDAY
Annual clean-up, fix-up, paint-up week in New Madrid is Monday through Saturday. Trash placed in containers will be picked up by city employes, Jaycees and Kiwanis members. Glass containers, free of metal, may be delivered to Villa Shopping Center on Saturday. Free trash bags available at the bank, and wrought iron house numbers are being sold by the Chamber of Commerce. Pitch In-Clean Up.

MONDAY
Lilbourn Civic Improvement Club meets 7:30 p.m. Monday with Mrs. Myrtle Ice, hostess and Mrs. Betty Lloyd, co-hostess. Election of officers will be held and a report given on the Sophomore Pilgrimage.

MONDAY
New Madrid County Shirtsleeves meeting is Monday from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Howardville school.

TUESDAY
Chapter 293, Order of Eastern Star meets 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Masonic temple.

TUESDAY
Band concert by junior high, intermediate and beginner band students, directed by Bob Donze, is 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the New Madrid high school gymnasium. No. admission charged.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti supper for benefit of Jimmy Henderson fund, sponsored by United Methodist Youth Fellowship, is from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church dining room. Tickets available from UMYF members.

WEDNESDAY
Jaycees meet 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Jaycee building, 710 Riley Street.

WEDNESDAY
First United Methodist Men meet 8 p.m. Wednesday at the educational building.

THURSDAY
American Legion meets 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the veterans building, highway 61 north.

THURSDAY
New Madrid Woman's Club meets 2 p.m. Thursday with Mrs. Paula Rost. Installation of officers will be held.

THURSDAY
New Madrid high school concert band directed by Bob Donze will present a spring concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the high school gymnasium. No admission will be charged.

FRIDAY
Bootheel Squares weekly square dancing is 7 p.m. Friday at the New Madrid Community building.

Q—What does Palm Sunday commemorate?
A—Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. According to the Bible, Jesus rode into the city on an ass, and the people spread palm branches in His path.

Ann Landers

A Little Illegal Fun Causes A Lot Of Trouble

Dear Ann: A piece appeared in The Beth El Youth Teen Topics that might be of interest to your readers No one knows whether it was written by Rabbi M. H. Elovitz of Birmingham, Alabama, or some teen who asked that his identity not be revealed. The authorship is not important, but the message is.

The Man I Wanted To Be,
Or Too Bad I Got Busted

Man, it's a bad scene, a real bummer. Who wouldn've thought it could happen to me? I mean, like it was something cool to do. Just part of the scene. So some kids experiment. So what? Besides, it'll be legal in a few years anyway. Damn the establishment! You'd think the fuzz was born with sirens in their heads and "do-good" stamped on their bottoms. Hell, weren't they ever kids?

It could've been you. You just lucked out. Anyway, getting booked was really gross. All that fingerprinting jazz. I called my old man and was he ever ticked off. He had to hire a lawyer to get me out. He's got influence. I thought I'd get off with a reprimand, maybe grounded for a while and that would be the end of it. It wasn't.

They booked me and I've got a record. I was going to law school but now that's screwed up. Medical school won't accept me either when the time comes. Why should I suffer? Look at all the kids who do dope and never get a glove laid on 'em.

You should have seen my mon's face. Even all that makeup couldn't cover up her shame. You'd think I had committed a crime. It was weird. It's not like I didn't know it was illegal, it's just that everybody's doing it and I was the one who got nailed. Besides, I was holding it for a buddy — only took a couple of drags.

There must be some way to clean up this mess. I'm sure as hell not a criminal. I just got mixed up with a little illegal fun. Funny, somehow I don't think the Dean of Admissions will buy it. Oh well, I can always be a plumber or go into my dad's business. ON second thought — I wonder if my dad would hire me. — Origin Uncertain

Dear Friend: Maybe the origin is uncertain, but the message is clear. Thank you for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: People write to you about things that bother them. May I add my complaint, please?

Whenever I find myself at a place where women gather, the first thing that happens is, out comes the pictures from the purses. "This is my daughter and her four children." Or, "We have new pictures of our grandchildren. Here is Louise, next to Richard. The one in front is Lester. Doesn't he look like his father?"

It's bad enough when I know the family but when a stranger corners me with snapshots I could scream. Why would a person you've never seen before (and will probably never see again) show another stranger pictures of her family?

Before I leave on a cruise this fall, I'm going to take a picture of the dogs and cats in the neighborhood and carry them in self defense. When a woman hands me pictures of her grandchildren I'm going to hand her mine. Would this be wrong? --Pittsburgh Reader

Dear Pitt: Wrong? No. But don't be surprised if you get some compliments. People have shown me pictures of their pets with the same pride a parent has in his child and I've had to say, "How cute!"

Are your parents too strict? Hard to reach? Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How To Get More Freedom," could help you bridge the generation gap. Send fifty cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to this newspaper.

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Hospital Notes

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Nellie May, Bloomfield
Eva Buchanna, Dexter
JoAnn McGee, Dexter
Released:
Lillie Bolden, Gray Ridge
Cindy Whiteside, Doniphan
Thelma Williams, Bernie
Buddy Alsup, Morehouse

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted
Dora Mobley, Hayti
W. W. Ancell, Hayti
Jimmy Giles, Hayti
James Greenwave, Caruthersville
Betty Clayton, Wardell
Ivory Ells, Bragg City
Released:
Betty Mitchell, Hayti
Alex Braswell, Hayti
Willis Motton, Hayti
Dennis Rushing, Caruthersville
Lillie Roberts, Caruthersville
Willard Julian, Bragg City
Steven Gray, Wardell
Oscar Taylor, Portageville
Leslie Lewis, Lilbourn
91 patients, three babies.

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:
Released:
Laura Howard, Howardville
Laura McCoy, Sikeston
Donna Mason, Dexter
Ricky Hendrix, New Madrid
Carolyn Campbell, Sikeston
Anna Corbin, Sikeston
Teresa Wright, Bertrand
Shannon Bowels, East Prairie
Lillian Miller, Sikeston
James Sexton, Sikeston
Jonie Lee Suggs, Matthews
Sharon Spence, Charleston
Beatrice Dempster, Sikeston
Joel Brown, East Prairie
Marie Russell, Sikeston
Robin Riley, Bertrand
Margaret Ernest, Sikeston
Clarence Bryan, Port Clinton Ohio
Sadie Dodge, East Prairie
Ethel Long, Sikeston
Hilda Davis, Sikeston
Bobbie Mitchell, East Prairie
Callie Dumas, Sikeston
Danny Griffen, Matthews
Ruby Hesselrode, Cairo, Ill.
Total patients discharged 25
Total patients admitted 20
Births 4

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT — 5-6-72

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	139	93	6	40
Pediatrics	29	13	0	16
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: None

Emergency Dept.	
Accident emergencies	18
Medical emergencies	26
Others	31
Total seen in emergency room	75

School Menus

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Menus for the remaining days of school will not be issued in advance, since each school will be having a different selection.

BELL CITY
Monday
Hamburger on Bun
Whipped potatoes
Green Beans
Mustard/Pickles
Onion Slices
Cherry Pie
Milk
Tuesday
Pork Pattie/Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Cole Slaw
Peanut Butter Cookies
Corn Bread
Butter
Milk
Wednesday
Chicken and Dressing
Candied Yams
Tossed salad
Cranberry sauce
Fruited Gelatin
Bread
Butter
Milk
Thursday
Italian Spaghetti
Glazed Carrots
Tossed Salad
Applesauce
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk
Friday
Fish Fillets
Baked Beans
Cole Slaw
Potato Chips
Peanut Butter Confection
Bread / Butter
Milk

MATTHEWS
Monday
½ pt milk
Ravioli
Tossed salad
Green beans
Hot rolls
Peach half
Bread
Butter
Tuesday
½ pt. milk
Hot dog
Sauerkraut
Creamed Potaotes
Applesauce- raisin cake
Bun
Butter
Wednesday
½ pt. milk
Fried chicken
Buttered corn
Spinach
Hot rolls
Pineapple slice
Butter
Thursday
½ pt milk
Salmon cakes
Tater tots
Cole slaw
Pink applesauce
Peanut butter
Bread
Friday
½ pt. milk
Pork pattie
Creamed potatoes
Peas and carrots
Hot rolls
Apple butter
Butter

SCOTT COUNTY R-V
Monday
Kraut and wieners
Beans
Buttered corn
Cornbread
Butter
Fruit
½ pt. milk
Tuesday
Barbecue pork on bun
Pork and Beans
Buttered potatoes
Cinnamon roll
½ pt. milk
Wednesday
Chicken and noodles
Slaw
Green peas
Peanutbutter crunch
Bread- butter
½ pt. milk
Thursday
Meatballs in sauce
Mashed potatoes
Green beans
Bread - butter
Pudding
½ pt. milk
Friday
Fish on bun
Baked potato
Tartar sauce or catsup
Mixed vegetables
Jello
½ pt. milk

Mr. and Mrs. Terrence Leigh Watkins

Watkins-Vickrey

JACKSON — Twin candelabra entwined with ivy and arrangements of white chrysanthemums, pink snapdragons and baby's breath appointed the altar at the First Baptist Church April 14 when Miss Judy Kay Vickrey and Terrence Leigh Watkins exchanged wedding vows.

The evening double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Eugene Vickrey of Houston, Tex., uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. W. Harry Hunt. Mrs. Ray Schweain, organist, accompanied the soloist, Tom N. Boudinot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Vickrey of Jackson are parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leigh Watkins of Sikeston are the bridgroom's parents.

Wearing a gown of white bridal silk, the bride was given in marriage by her father. The gown was designed with an empire bodice covered with Chantilly lace and long sleeves, overlaid with a scalloped flounce of Chanti-lace. Satin ribbon encircled the waistline, and scalloped lace was used on the back of the skirt, which flowed into a cathedral-length train. Her short bouffant veil of English illusion flowed from a queen's headpiece of Chanti-lace, and she held a nosegay of white chrysanthemums and pink roses.

Mrs. Ann Raymond was matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Dave Meyr of Cape Girardeau, and Miss Jane Vickrey, sister of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Miss Susan Vickrey and Miss Allison Watkins, sisters of the bride and bridegroom, respectively.

Mrs. Raymond was attired in a Victorian gown of orchid voile with an empire bodice and slightly full skirt. The bodice was trimmed with tiny tucks and shirred scalloped lace with a satin ribbon accenting the waist. The other attendants wore identical gowns of pink voile. White wide-brimmed hats with matching ribbon were worn by all attendants, and each carried a nosegay of pink rosebuds and chrysanthemums.

Gina Vickrey, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Vickrey, was flower girl, and ringbearer was David West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex West of Cape Girardeau.

Ted Watkins, the bridegrooms brother, was best man, and groomsmen were Rex West, Lennie Deutschmann, St. Louis, and Eddie Felker, Sikeston. Ushers were Eddie Cheek and Tim Watkins, another brother of the bridegroom, both of Sikeston. Candlelighters were cousins of the bride, Rob and Jim Litzelfelner.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church's dining hall. Serving were Mrs. James Kinder, St. Louis; Mrs. Max Watkins, Cape Girardeau, and Miss Wendy Litzelfelner, Jackson. Miss Patti Litzelfelner was at the guest book.

Mrs. Watkins is a graduate of Jackson high school and attended Office Training School at Cape Girardeau where she is employed by the Bennett Paper Co. Watkins, a graduate of Sikeston high school, attended Meramec College in St. Louis. He is employed by Cape Volkswagen Inc.

After returning from a wedding trip to an undisclosed destination, the couple will live at 2554 Independence, Cape Girardeau.

Marsha Lynne Duke

Duke-Lynn

PADUCAH — Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Duke announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Marsha Lynne,to Michael Alan Lynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lynn, 906 Patricia Drive, Sikeston.

Miss Duek will be a 1972 graduate of Charleston high school and lives at 213 South Third, Charleston.

Lynn is a 1971 Sikeston high school graduate.

A June 10 wedding is planned at the North Acres General Baptist church in Sikeston.

New Babies

HUBBERT— Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hubbert of Sikeston are the parents of a daughter, Susan Leigh, born Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed six pounds, two ounces, and is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Hubbert is the former Rosemary Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Woods of Sikeston. Hubbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbert of Morley and is employed by Potlatch Forests Inc.

MORTON — Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morton of Matthews are parents of a daughter, Tina Fay, born April 26 at 7:25 p.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces.

Mrs. Morton is the former Janie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson of Matthews. Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Morton of Kewanee, is a farmer.

Enrollment Roundup Next Week At Oran

ORAN — Parents having children, who will enter kindergarten or the first grade in the public schools next fall, may enroll their children, Tuesday or Wednesday, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Children must be five before Oct. 1 to enroll in kindergarten and six before the same date to enroll in the first grade.

Parents should bring an official birth certificate and a record of immunizations. It is not necessary to bring the child.

Senior G.S. Camp Out

Senior Scouts in the Cotton Boll Girl Scout Council attended a round-up at Big Springs State Park last weekend. The 134 Senior Scouts pitched tents and cooked over open fires.

Saturday night there was a graduation ceremony, which recognized the graduating Senior Scouts in the Cotton Boll Area.

Sunday morning a church service was provided by the Scouts.

Two Sikeston troops attended. They were troop 201, whose leaders are Mrs. Ned Tanner and Mrs. James Hodges; and troop 13 whose leaders are Mrs. Benny Walker and Mrs. Joe Dye.

Meetings & Things

MONDAY
Welcome Wagon will meet at Heritage House at 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY
Okeechobee District Boy Scout round table commissioners meeting at 7:30 p.m. at First Methodist church. The program will be crafts.

TUESDAY
Chapter JU of PEO will meet at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. Ray Clinton, 1025 North Kingshighway.

TUESDAY
The closing party of Chapter HB of PEO will be at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Alice Huff.

MONDAY
The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. for installation of officers at Heritage House.

Soroptomist Club Elects Officers

DEXTER — The Stoddard County Soroptimist Club met Monday with Mrs. Elinar Carlsen to elect officers. New officers will be Virginia O'Daniell, president, who succeeds Mrs. John Deem; Delores Parmenter, vice president, Leraun Baughn, recording secretary, Maxine Clodfelter, corresponding secretary, and Ruth Edwards, treasurer.

Mrs. Josie Vernon introduced Joe Welborn of Bloomfield, who spoke on prayer in the public schools.

A business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Deem. A new member, Mrs. Betty Richmond, was welcomed into the club.

Q—How long is the term of office of the secretary general of the United Nations?
A—Normally five years.

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Bulldogs Rally For 8-7 Win

CHARLESTON -- The Sikeston Bulldogs scored three runs in the seventh inning to down Coach Lucian Black's Bluejays 8-7 Friday in baseball.

Sophomore Richard Blankenship relieved John Leible and picked up the win for the Bulldogs. Sikeston is now 7-2 for the season.

The game was a free hitting affair with Charleston collecting seven safeties including home runs by Alvin Pierce and Jack Criggs. The Bulldogs banged out 10 hits with first baseman Jim Saulter slamming a home run. Bob McClendon started on the mound for the Bluejays but gave over to Alvin Pierce, who was nicked for the winning run and the loss.

The Bulldogs jumped out in front in the first with one run but Leible was unable to hold the slugging Charleston nine and gave up three runs in the frame.

Sikeston rallied again in the third inning to push four runs across the plate to take a 5-3 lead. The Bulldog's pitching failed again. The Bluejays came back in the fourth to score two to take the lead again, 5-4.

Charleston added another run in the fifth and took a 7-5 lead in the sixth by scoring another run.

The Bulldogs came to bat in the seventh with their backs to the wall started a rally, which ended with three runs crossing the plate and took an 8-7 lead. Blankenship held the Bluejays scoreless in the seventh to win.

John Leible and Rick Dyer slapped doubles for the Bulldogs and Mitchell Walker and Jim Saulters had two runs batted in for Sikeston.

The box score:

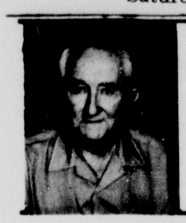
SIKESTON (8)

Player	AB	R	H
Colwick, cf	3	1	1
Leible, p	4	2	2
Eisenbach, ss	1	0	0
M. Walker, ss	3	1	2
Dyer, rf	4	0	1
Saulters, 1b	4	1	1
Puckett, 3b	4	0	2
Bob Walker, c	2	0	0
Nelson, ph	1	0	0
Shatzley, 2b	3	0	0
B. Blankenship, lf	2	0	0
Miller, ph	1	1	1
Blankenship, p	0	0	0
Totals	32	6	10

CHARLESTON (7)

Smoot, 2b	2	1	1
Quertermous, 1b	3	1	1
Pierce, cf-p	4	2	2
Delay, 3b	3	0	0
Medlock, c	4	0	0
McClendon, p	3	0	1
Ledbetter, ss	3	1	1
Griggs, rf	3	1	1
Cassell, lf	3	1	0
Totals	28	7	7

Golf Comments



By Riggs Wesley

SEMO Golf Association Secretary

Caruthersville 2 Mon Team Scramble
April 29-30
Championship

1 Bart Connolley — John Shaw, Memphis	129
2 Johnny Robertson — Bob Day, Ridgley, Tenn	130
3 C. W. Knauts, Piggott - Wally Franks, Ken	130
A	
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This weekends tournaments are scheduled at Perryville, Kennett, Piggot, Ark., and Forest Park.

Garrard Stars

MATTHEWS -- The Parma Pirates came out on top, 21-10, in a free hitting baseball game Friday with Matthews.

Neither team showed much in the way of pitching.

Matthews banged out 12 hits against two Parma pitchers and Parma bombed two Matthews hurlers for 18 safeties including a home run by Mike Garrard, his fourth of the season, with two men on base.

Garrard also hit a triple in the first inning with the bases loaded. The game was filled with extra base hits. David Lape hit a triple with the bases full in the sixth. Bowley and Porter hit doubles for Matthews and Blackburn. Wagner socked two baggers for Parma.

Wendy Wagner was the winning pitcher, allowing five runs and seven hits in five innings. Larry Harwood took the loss.

Parma scored five runs in the first and six in the second. Matthews scored two in the fourth frame and Parma came back with three more in the fifth. Matthews continued to make an effort to get back in the game scoring three runs in the fifth to trail 14-5.

Parma was unstoppable. The Pirates broke loose for six more runs in the sixth. Matthews wasn't dead. The Pirates rallied for four more in the sixth and trailed 20-9 after six innings. Each team scored one run in the seventh for the final score.

Hill went four for four at the plate for Parma and Pawielski and Joseph had three hits apiece for the winners. Porter and Griffin got three hits apiece for Matthews.

The box score:

MATTHEWS (10)

Player	AB	R	H
Bewley, 2b	4	1	2
Polk, rf	1	0	0
Danny Hays, 3b	1	1	0
David Hays, ph	1	0	0
Danels, lf	2	0	0
Parker, lf	1	1	0
Hampton ph	0	1	0
Lape, c-cf	4	2	2
Waldron, rf-ss	4	1	1
Porter, ss-3b	4	2	3
Griffin, cf-p	5	1	3
Burns, c	4	0	1
Harwood, 1b-p=cf	4	0	0
Totals	35	10	12

PARMA (21)

Hill, cf-p	4	5	4
Pawielski, lf	5	4	3
Wagner, p-cf	4	3	2
Garrard, 1b	5	3	2
Joseph, 3b	5	3	3
Blackburn, c	5	1	2
Blades, ss	5	0	0
Snider, 2b	5	1	2
Higgins, rf	2	0	0
Crabb, rf	2	1	0
Totals	42	21	18

Parma	5 6 0 0 3 6 1—21
Matthews	0 0 0 2 3 4 1—10

Sportsman Calendar

HUNTING

	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (daily-possession)
Groundhogs, Crows, Coyotes	now open	no closed season	unlimited
Turkey	now open	May 7	1/season
Squirrel	May 30	Dec. 31	6-12
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8

FISHING

Impoundments (all species)	now open	no closed season	see Code Book
Streams (largemouth, small-mouth, spotted bass	May 30	now closed	see Code Book
Trout Management Areas (stamp required)	now open	no closed season	5-10
Trout Parks	now open	Oct. 31	5-10
Paddlefish (snagging)	now open	May 15	2-2
Non-game fish (snagging, snaring, etc.)	now open	May 15	see Code Book
Walleye & Sauger	see Code Book	see Code Book	see Code Book
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8

Turkey Stocking Works Two Ways

JEFFERSON CITY -- Missouri's wild turkeys are doing as good a job of restocking themselves as all the involved machinery of the Department of Conservation's turkey trapping program.

It takes at least two men to set up a cannon net in likely turkey country and may take as much as a week to lure a bird or several birds under the net. Then it takes an automobile to carry the crated birds to an airplane which flies them to another part of the state for distribution.

It's a whole lot easier though when a couple of hens and a gobbler unfold their great big wings and fly to new territory all by themselves -- which is what they've been doing.

Dan Dickneite, supervisor of the turkey restoration project in Missouri, has reliable reports from many areas of wild turkeys where none have been stocked.

"Most are within the general area of a previous stocking," he says. "But the birds have spread from prime territory where we stocked them into areas where we really didn't think they would survive."

There still are a few stocking projects on the books -- mostly supplemental where, for some reason, the turkey population is thin.

One new stocking next winter will be in Stoddard County. Assuming turkey trappers on Department of Conservation and other refuges can lure the birds, there will be two releases along Crowley ridge, each of about 12 hens and six gobblers.

Supplemental releases, usually about 10 birds, are scheduled for an area on the Shelby- Marion county line, the northwest partof Pulaski County, in Reynolds County near Bozarth State Forest, in Howell County south of Siloam Springs and in Taney County northesast of Hercules.

Dickneite also plans to look at potential stocking sites in Callaway, Chariton and Buchanan Counties.

The turkey trappers caught 176 birds during the 1971- 72 winter, a good season. Of these, 127 went to restock eight sites around the state. Young gobblers are usually banded and released at the trap site.

Sites in Bollinger, Johnson and Laclede Counties got birds to fill out stocking begun in 1970-71. New introductions were made in Andrew, Carroll, Dallas and Holt Counties.

Since turkey trappers started their work in 1953, they have captured 1,984 birds, of which 1,629 have been used to restock 80 sites in 63 counties.

How well the program has worked is reflected in the 1972 turkey season which sees an all- time modern high of 53 counties open to hunting, almost half of which have turkeys directly as a result of restocking.

Conservation Commission To Meet

SWEET SPRINGS — The Conservation Commission will hold its regular monthly meeting at Blind Pony Wildlife Area near here on May 17, beginning at 1 p.m.

Conservation Commission meetings are open to the public. Anyone with business for the Commission should contact Department of Conservation headquarters in Jefferson City at least 10 days before the meeting.

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May 4: Fishing Report
May 8: Missouri Fish Records
May 11: Fishing Report
May 15: What Kind of a Turkey Season Was It?
May 18: Fishing Report
May 22: Squirrell Season Upcoming
May 25: Fishing Report

Challenge Fades

JEFFERSON CITY -- A challenge quietly faded away last week when three bowhunters took gobblers on the first morning of Missouri's 13th modern turkey season.

Until then, no hunter had an authenticated bow trophy, though many had tried over the years. Two of the hunters, from widely separated areas, reported they took their birds at exactly the same time, so they will share honors as the first to do so.

LeRoy Braungardt of Moscow Mills had been trying for a bird with a bow for eight years and, only last year, had fired 23 shots at 19 gobblers he called up. He is the national amateur turkey calling champion, and chairman of the Conservation Federation's Wild Turkey committee.

Braungardt took a 15 pound juvenile gobbler in Lincoln County. But the largest bird was a whopping 33 pounds, 12 ounces, taken with a bow by Robert G. (Pokey) Lowe, Leslie, in Franklin County.

This bird was only one ounce shy of the record 33 pounds, 13 ounces. Bob Stephens of Salem set the record in 1971. Lowe got tired carrying the huge bird from the woods and dragged it part way like a deer.

What no one else will ever know is whether he dragged off two ounces of feathers.

Almost lost in the flurry of bow claimed turkeys was a 29 pound, six ounce gobbler, taken by Jake Arnold of Cherryville.

The turkey season will run through May 7, longest season since modern seasons began in 1960.

Master Of Disguise

LEBANON — Lon Chaney Sr. was known as "The Man of a Thousand Faces" during his movie career. There is a lady trout fisherman at Bennett Spring who apparently was trying for the same title ... but she didn't make it.

"I saw the woman early on opening day at Bennett Spring take a limit of five trout," says George Manville, Ripley County conservation agent who was working the trout opener.

"That afternoon, I found the same woman fishing in a different area. She had changed coat, shirt, pants, shoes and, to top it all off, changed hair -- she took off her wig.

"I turned the information over to agent supervisor Rob Sanders and, while he was writing up the violation, the lady's steak which she had on a charcoal grill, burned up. That really made her day complete.

Conservation Office To Open

SPRINGFIELD -- Harold White, district supervisor of conservation agents in Marion County, has been named to head a new office of the Department of Conservation soon to be located in Springfield.

The Springfield metropolitan office is the third such information and liaison center to be opened by the Department. Others are in St. Louis and Kansas City.

White was the state's outstanding conservation agent in 1971. He is a 12- year veteran with the Department and currently supervises conservation agents in six northeast Missouri counties -- Marion, Clark, Scotland, Knox, Lewis and Shelby.

The Springfield office will be in full operation sometime in July.

White began work with the Department after working as a St. Louis County, then a Ladue policeman. He has been assigned as conservation agent in Washington, Jefferson and St.Louis Counties.

He is a St. Louis native and a graduate of Central High School. He and his wife, Patricia Ann, have two daughters, Elizabeth 10 and Mary 5, and a son, Harold 7.

Mays On Block

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Willie Mays wasn't counting his birthday candles today. Rather he was counting the days he might have left with the San Francisco giants.

The Giants are thinking about trading Mays, who was 41 years old today, to the New York Mets.

Who says so?

M. Donald Grant, board chairman of the Mets, and Horace Stoneham, president of the Giants.

"Maybe we'll talk when we get to New York," Stoneham said Friday. "We'll discuss the possibility. We need pitchers."

The talks have been so serious that Stoneham admitted telling the Mets they had to promise to find a place for Mays in their organization, as the Giants have, when the outfielder calls it a career.

Grant said he had expected a call Thursday or Friday about the chances of acquiring Mays.

Mays learned about the secret Giants— mets negotiations Friday in his hotel room over the telephone from a reporter. He wasn't upset about the possibility of being traded, but was visibly annoyed about not being informed.

"I only regret I wasn't told," said the outfielder, who still is the No. 2 home run hitter of alltime.

Would he go to New York if the Giants and Mets completed a deal?

"Nothing's been made," he replied.

Suppose it was?

"I'd have to wait and see. Meanwhile my business is trying to play baseball. I've been doing that for 20- years. I'm playing tonight Friday."

He was in the lineup Friday night against Philadelphia and the $165,000 a year superstar didn't help a .146 batting average as he went hitless in four at bats, leaving five runners on as the Giants lost 3-2 to the Phillies.

A source close to Mays indicated that the great outfielder, who broke in with the New York Giants May 25, 1951, wouldn't object to finishing his career in New York.

Mays appeared upset that the Giants felt he had reached the end of his great career.

"I was told that they were going with young players," Mays told a couple of dozen reporters in the Giants' dugout before Friday night's game.

"But I've contributed as much as the youth," he said.

"Why punish me? When your time is up they tell you to go? That's not fair."

Stoneham was asked if he had talked with Mays.

"No, and I didn't think it would get in the newspapers," Stoneham replied.

Lakers Take Lead

NEW YORK (AP) — "If New York had won, everybody would have been talking about what a great game Bill Bradley played," said Gail Goodrich of the Los Angeles Lakers.

"But they didn't," he said, pausing to savor the moment, then adding: "We did."

And by beating the Knicks 116-111 in overtime Friday night in Madison Square Garden, the Lakers, long frustrated trying for supremacy in the National Basketball Association, moved within a step of finally wearing the crown that has slipped from their grasp since 1954.

That was the year they last won the championship—only back then they were known as the Minneapolis Lakers. In 1960 they moved to Los Angeles. Seven times since then they have made it to the finals. And seven times they have been thwarted, the last time in 1970 by the Knicks.

This time, however, they appear destined to win it all. They lead the best-of-seven series 3-1 and only an outright miracle can keep them from the title.

They'll have their first shot at it Sunday night in Los Angeles.

"I'm not ready to celebrate yet," said Jim McMillian, who scored 23 points Friday night, including six on a trio of jump shots that had New York playing catch-up virtually throughout the overtime. "If I try to celebrate now, then I'll relax too much for the next game in Los Angeles."

And Jerry West, who hit 28 to lead all scorers, added: "I'm anxious to play that next game."

Bradley scored 26 to top the Knicks. Two of his baskets, a pair of jumpers in a 22-second span, pulled New York into a 111-111 tie wi t 1:35 remaining in overtime.

But 20 seconds later, West's two free throws put the Lakers on top for good, then they wrapped it up as Goodrich sank a field goal and free throw.

New York's other pro basketball entry, the Nets of the American Basketball Association, isn't in such a precarious position.

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Hawks Win 9th

BENTON — Mike Morrow, 3-1 pitcher for the Kelly Hawks, led his team to victory on the mound and at the plate when the Hawks walloped the Chaffee Red Devils, 10-2, in conference baseball action Friday.

Morrow added 10 strikeouts to his pitching achievements, walking four.

Chaffee's Tab Heeb chalked up three strikeouts and no walks as the Red Devil pitcher.

Kelly took every opportunity to gain extra base hits with Terry Deason connecting for two and Jeff Jackson and Mike Morrow getting one triple each.

Kenny Urhahn, Jeff Jackson, Allen Ziegler, and Richard Urhahn each slugged doubles. Mike Morrow was star at the plate with three hits and three runs batted in. Terry Deason used his two triples to bring in one run. Jeff Jackson batted in two runs, and Tommy Essner was credited with two runs batted in. Urhahn and Ziegler had one RBI each.

Pete Dooley led Chaffee's offense with a triple in the sixth knocking in one run.

Friday's victory puts the Kelly Hawks at a 9-2 season's record and 5-2 in the conference. Next week they will compete for the conferenct title, going against Illmo-Scott City.

The box score:

KELLY (10)

Player	AB	R	H
K. Urhahn, ss	3	2	1
M. Morrow, p	4	3	3
Essner, lf	4	0	1
Jackson, 3b	4	0	2
Glenn Green, c	3	1	0
T. Deason 1b	3	1	2
Chris Chrismon, rf	2	0	0
Ziegler, rf	1	1	1
R. Urhahn, 2b	3	2	2
J. Backfish, cf	3	0	0
Totals	30	10	12

CHAFFEE (2)

Richbourg, c	4	0	0
Steimle, 3b	3	1	0
Thomas, 1b-p	4	0	0
Littel, 1b	3	0	1
Dooley, ss	3	0	1
Heeb, p	1	0	1
Bess, cf	2	0	0
Grader, cf	1	0	0
Spencer, 2b	3	1	0
McConnel, rf	1	0	0
Totals	25	2	3

Chaffee	000 001 1-2
Kelly	120 034 0-10

Whorton, Edmonson Homer

ORAN -- The Eagles won their eighth baseball game of the season against the Scott Central Braves Friday, 7-2. Oran has lost three games.

Rick Irwin struck out eight Braves to pick up the win. David Pobst took the loss. Irwin gave up eight hits and Pobst allowed six hits, including home runs by Al Whorton and Jim Edmonson.

The game belonged to the Eagles from the first inning. Oran scored one run and added another in the second.

The Eagles put the game out of reach in the fourth by crossing the plate three times. Oran scored two more runs in the fifth. Scott Central solved the pitching of Irwin in the last inning. The Braves scored two runs.

The Oran Eagles play the Illmo- Scott City Rams in a Scott- Miss Conference game Monday to make up for a rained out contest earlier this season.

The box score:

ORAN (7)

Player	AB	R	H
Kraph, 3b	2	0	0
Al Wharton, cf	3	1	1
Rick Irsin, p	3	2	2
Shaffer, c	3	1	1
Seyer, rf	3	0	0
Edmondson, ss	3	1	1
Hanley, 1b	3	1	1
Schlosser, lf	3	0	1
LeGrand, 2b	2	1	1
Totals	25	7	8

SCOTT CENTRAL (2)

Teet, ss	3	0	1
Carrow, c	3	0	1
M. Pobst, 2b	4	0	0
D. Pobst, p	3	0	1
Hubbert, 1b	3	0	0
Worley, lf	2	1	0
Jackson, 3b	3	1	2
C. Pobst, cf	3	0	1
Jones, rf	3	0	0
Totals	27	2	6

Scott Central	0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
Oran	1 1 0 3 2 0 X—7

Great Day For Derby

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — The weather for the Kentucky Derby today at Churchill Downs will probably be partly sunny and warm, with the temperature in the upper 70s, the National Weather Service predicted.

A weather service official said chances of thundershowers during the derby are becoming more and more remote - about 10 to 20 per cent.

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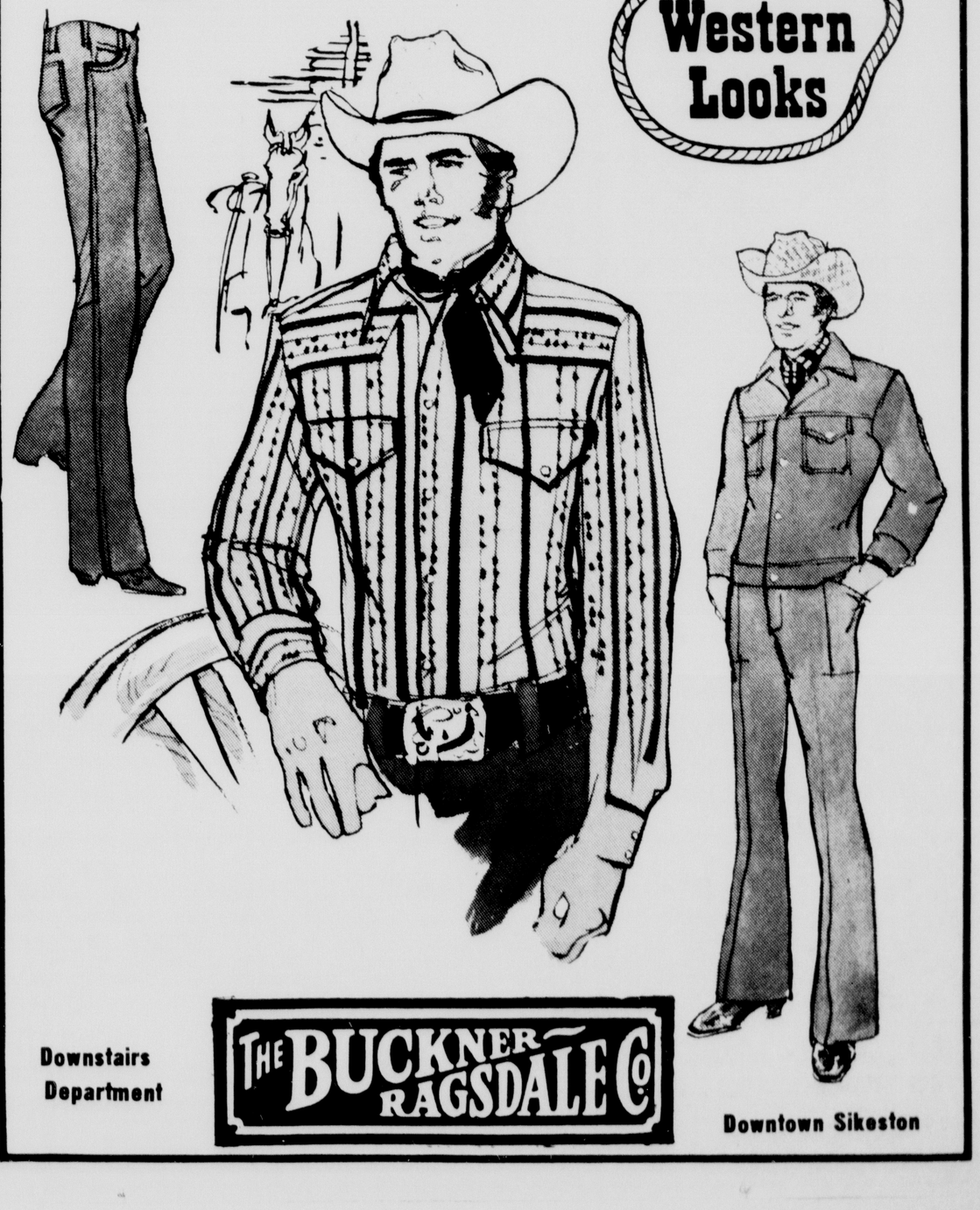
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Remarks: Top butcher hogs brought $24.40. Sows were steady and feeder shoats in good demand. Cattle were active and stronger on all classes.
Floyd Matthews

Warm, Wet Weather Gives Aid To Weeds

By JOE H. SCOTT
Missouri Extension Agronomist

PORTAGEVILLE — Last week saw Bootheel farmers busy planting cotton on the higher better drained soils. Heavy plantings were made in the southern part of Dunklin and Pemiscot Counties.

More cotton growers applied soil fungicides this year for extended protection against seedling diseases than in any year previous. However, all were looking for warm weather to help them get a rapid even emergence.

Warm weather and showers usually mean weed problems, especially broadleaf weeds like cocklebur, teaweed, and velvet leaf.

In visiting with growers, I find they are especially concerned about the teaweed (prickly sida). I believe more are applying preemergence treatments of Cotoran, Telvar, Karmex or Caparol in addition to their preplant herbicides than ever before, but still need to keep a sharp eye on fields to catch escaping teaweed and apply control measures when the weed is small.

When cotton reaches 3 inch stage can apply herbicidal oil, emulsifiable oil, or MSMA, DSMA plus cotoran or Herban. When cotton reaches 5-6 inch stage, Caparol + MSMA or Karmex + MSMA can be directed on weeds. Increasing surfactant percentage can help increase effectiveness of herbicides on teaweed but can also result in more injury to cotton plant.

Lorox + surfactant can be applied to 12-15 inch cotton. If catch weeds early effective control can be obtained without getting excessive spray on the cotton

Calibration and good spray coverage is essential for control of hard to kill weeds like the teaweed. Nozzle and other parts of spray equipment should be checked often. Spray volume is important when applying post- emergence to get good coverage. Don't skimp on water.

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Young Farmers View Slides

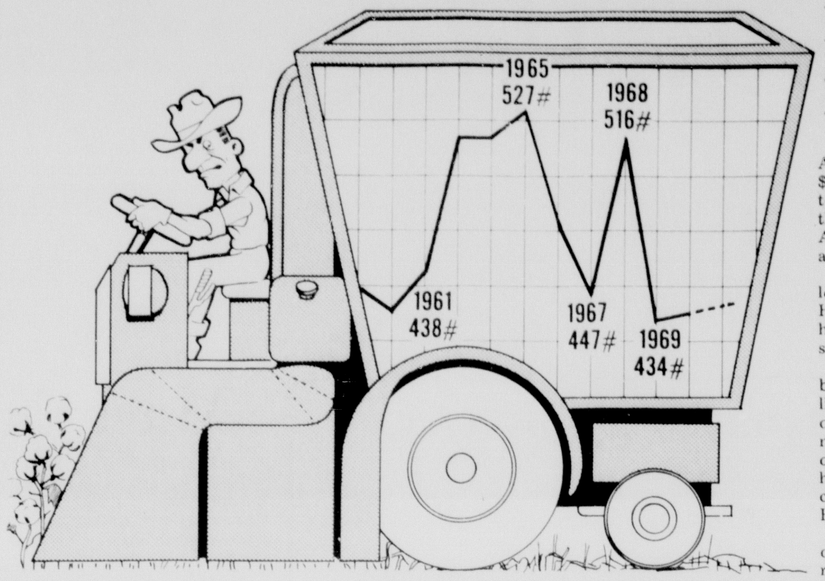
LILBOURN — New Madrid County Young Farmers met at the high school to see a slide presentation by Sam Atwell, area agronomist, on soybean herbicides.

A committee was selected to choose a speaker for the May meeting — Sam Faulkner, Tommy Essary and Roy Pipkins.

Dan Boone and Willard James, former county extension agents now associated with Mid-Continent Chemical Company of Hayti, then will present a program on "Scouting and Controlling Insects in Cotton."

Q—Which is the first medal in history to be made of pure Irish silver?

A—The first annual St. Patrick's Day Medal issued in 1972. The Medal is in commemoration of the landing of St. Patrick at Cill Mhantain in A.D. 432.



COTTON YIELDS DECLINING — Cotton yields have been declining just when cotton is showing a resurgence in the market. This has prompted a Beltwide campaign, spearheaded by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, National Cotton Council, and state Extension services, to obtain "Better Yields of Quality Cotton for Profit and Market Growth." Crops have been below normal for four out of the past five seasons. Across the Cotton Belt, yield per acre averaged 438 pounds in 1961. It rose to a record 527 pounds in 1965 but by 1971 was back down to 438 pounds, the same as 1961.

Weather Will Favor Cotton

By LEONARD F. HAND
Farm Meteorologist

PORTAGEVILLE — Favorable weather trends remain a feature of the outlook for May. Temperatures are expected to average above normal, and rain is likely to be near normal.

Circulation patterns should bring major tracks of high pressure inland from the Pacific Northwest across the Northern Plains and Ohio Valley to the Mid Atlantic Coast. This will mean relatively dry and mild air, although a good spread between night and day extremes in temperature. This pattern also allows for generous intrusions of warm southerly flow.

Centers of major low pressure systems are expected to develop in the Central Plateau area of the west, and follow a path to the Western Great Lakes Region. These primary lows will be too far north to affect the Bootheel directly. Cold fronts will trigger showers and thunderstorms, and we may occasionally see more of the secondary low pressure development on slow moving fronts that showed up in April.

Past records support the contention that best cotton years are those that get off to a fast start, temperaturewise. Other considerations determine final yields but a warm May will be a plus.

One vital consideration at this time is soil water content. Some land along the St. Francis was still under water as the month began, and the Mississippi was above flood stage at New Madrid. Thunderstorms developing as the month got underway dropped over an inch of rain on many sections and complicated the planting problem. April thunderstorms contributed variable amounts of water generally across the Bootheel. Agricultural Weather Stations all report more than Normal rainfall. These monthly totals range upward from the 4.78 inches at Portageville to 5.36 at Poplar Bluff, 5.75 at Malden, to 6.52 inches at Sikeston.

Five- day outlooks should be followed closely so that maximum advantage may be taken of gradually increasing evaporative influence of the atmosphere. Evaporation and plant use normally remove more water from the soil than is replaced by rainfall in May. Distribution of showers during the first two weeks of May will be the key to planting schedules.

Soil temperature during April didn't favor early plantings of cotton. At Portageville, only 6 days had average seedbed warmth of 68 degrees or higher. An upward swing the first of May was cut off by rainy weather. However, top layers of soil will warm rapidly, given sunny days and a chance to reduce excess water.

Avove normal temperatures anticipated for May suggest that use of post-emergence herbicides sensitive to cool weather may meet favorable conditions by the time the crop gets up. Again, access to fields will be dependent upon rainfall patterns, and warm, moist soils are likely to spur weeds as well as crops.

A predominantly warm airflow over the region, combined with near normal rainfall, suggests conditions favorable for disease organisms. Orchard spray schedules may be modified beneficially by following trends in the Extendent Outlook issued each day.

Some farmers were already checking on army worms in wheat as the month got underway. Low level winds will be a factor in controlling drift and getting maximum payload to the target. Also of interest will be the effect of midday convective currents upon settling rates of particles during warm periods.

As wheat matures late in May, farmers will be watching for thrips moving out into cotton. Late plantings are particularly vulnerable, but are not likely to be slowed by temperatures stress if trends are maintained through the month.

Normal rain for May for the Bootheel as a whole is 4.46 inches. Normals for individual cities are:

Cape Girardeau 4.80 inches, Dexter 4.47 inches, Fisk 4.36 inches, New Madrid 4.90 inches, Poplar Bluff 4.83 inches, Caruthersville 4.24 inches, Doniphan 4.84 inches, Morehouse 4.42 inches, Parma 4.70 inches and Sikeston 4.44 inches.

Short term averages for other cities — Advance 4.53 inches, Bloomfield 4.77 inches, Clearwater Dam 5.46 inches, Kennett 5.60 inches, Portageville 5.77 inches, Qulin 4.09 inches, Bernie 4.67 inches, Charleston 5.26 inches, Deering 3.83 inches, Malden 4.38 inches, Puxico 5.02 inches and Wappapello Dam 4.95 inches.

Long period records show that for Mays with normal rain averages have been 3.80 inches at Poplar Bluff, 4.28 at Sikeston, and 4.35 inches at Caruthersville. Under these conditions, totals have ranged from 3.27 to 4.59 inches at Poplar Bluff, from 3.27 to 4.85 at Sikeston, and from 3.24 to 5.10 inches at Caruthersville.

Farm Operating Loans Increase $38 Million

The Farmers Home Administration has released $38 million in new loan funds to help family farmers put in their 1972 crops, Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz has announced.

This raises the operating loan program of the Farmers Home Administration to a new high of $313 million, Butz said.

Funds may be used to buy seed, feed, fertilizer, livestock, tractor fuel and other equipment and facilities needed to run a successful farm operation. Loans will be handled through some 1,750 county offices of Farmers Home Administration.

"Not only is the operating loan program at record levels, funding of the $350 million farm ownership and 140 million emergency loan programs of Farmers Home Administration is also at a peak," James V. Smith, agency administrator, said.

"Add the more than $200 million that is being provided our borrowers from private credit sources through out joint lending efforts, and the total available to Farmers Home Administration family farmers this year will easily exceed a billion dollars, surpassing the previous all-time high record of service by some $300 million," he said.

The U.S.D.A. agency supplies supplementary credit to family farmers who are unable to obtain conventional credit from regular sources at reasonable rates and terms.

Wheat Rising As Livestock Feed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department says wheat has "become a rising star" as a livestock feed in addition to its traditional and major use as a bread grain.

About 15 per cent of the annual U.S. wheat production went into livestock feed the past three years, says the Economic Research Service, compared with five per cent during the 1960-68 period.

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Farm Labor Up First Time In Five Years

WASHINGTON (AP) — New census figures show the nation's farm labor force increased four per cent last year, the first upturn since 1967, says the Agriculture Department.

But the increase resulted from more "casual" or parttime workers, not from a rise in the number of steadier hired hands, the Economic Research Service says in a report.

In all, about 2,550,000 persons did some farm work for wages last year, an increase of about 62,000 from 1970, according to the ERS report.

Workers who put in less than 25 days of farm work in 1971 totaled about 1,191,000 or a boost of about 98,000 from the year before. Those who put in more time for farm wages, however, declined nearly 63,000 from 1971.

The report, prepared by Robert C. McElroy, a manpower specialist for ERS, showed the typical farm worker in 1971 was 22, white, male, did not live on a farm, put in 76 days of farm work at $11.60 a day for total earnings of about $822 in cash wages.

State Fair Signs Jones And Wynette

SEDALIA, Mo. (AP) — A second country music show has been signed for the 1972 Missouri State Fair, Wilbert Askew, fair secretary, announced today.

George Jones and Tammy Wynette, popular country and western singers, are billed with Faron Young, also a singer, in a country music show.

Also in the show will be Jamey Ryan, Dave Hall the County Deputies Band and Harold Morrison, Patsy Sledd, James Hollie, Charlie Carter and the Jones Boys.

Askew announced the signing of the Jerry Lee Lewis and Ernest Tubbs show previously as one of the country music specialities for the fair, which opens here Aug. 18. Exact dates of the two shows have not been set.

520 Farmers To Get Set Aside Look

BENTON Set- aside inspection and measurement service is under way in Scott County, with a total of 520 farm visits booked, according to farm program official Roy Proctor.

He said any farm program participant can get inspection and measurement service for his crop and set- aside acres before the certification deadline by putting in a request at the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office.

Transfer Approved

BENTON — The Scott County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service committee has received authority to approve transfers to cotton acreage due to natural disaster. This action was initiated by the committee because of excessive rains.

County farmers will be permitted to transfer cotton acreage from farms too wet to timely plant or replant to other farms in Scott or adjoining counties.

To be eligible, the producer on the transferring farm must also be a producer on the receiving farm. He must also retain an interest in the crop on the receiving farm.

Compliance will be determined as though the crop was actually planted on each of the farms.

Producers must file applications for transfer with the county ASCS office and receive approval prior to planting of the crop.

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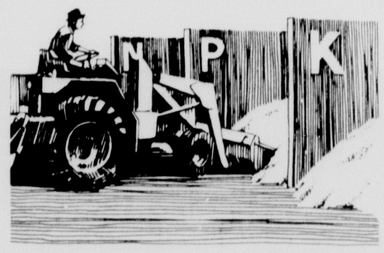

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Japanese Interest In Livestock

JEFFERSON CITY — Marketing Director Gene Thompson of the Missouri Department of Agriculture, who has returned from the 1972 American Food Festival in Tokyo, reports interest was shown in Missouri's purebred livestock.

Interest was shown by Japanese traders in quality and performance tested records, mainly in swine, beef cattle and dairy cattle, Thompson says.

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County Agent's Column

BLOOMFIELD — Indications are that a number of farmers in Stoddard County will produce grain sorghum again this year. This article is being published to answer many questions that farmers are asking pertaining to the production of this crop.

The seedbed for grain sorghum should be prepared in much the same manner as for corn. A well prepared, clean, firm seedbed helps to insure a better stand and makes planting, cultivating, and harvesting easier. It will also facilitate good weed control.

A number of good hybrid varieties are well adapted to this area. Bird resistant varieties have an advantage where birds are a problem. Some of the best yields produced in Stoddard County last season were produced by good, non bird- resistant varieties. Whether this will prove to be true over a period of years remains to be seen. A variety which produces an open head is likely to have less bird and insect damage and offers an advantage in drying. Detailed information pertaining to the performance of sorghum varieties tested at the University of Missouri Delta Center at Portageville is outlined in a publication which is available upon request at your County University Extension Center.

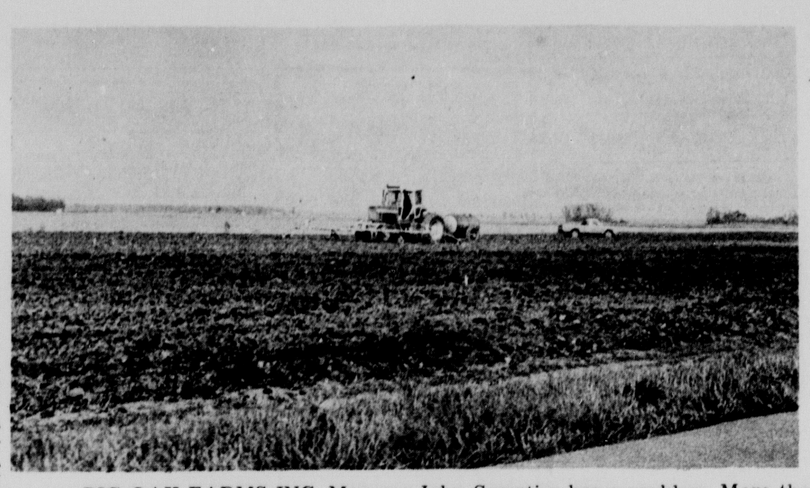
Sorghum is a warm weather crop; therefore, it should not be planted as early as corn. It is best to wait until the soil temperature is 70 degrees F. and there is little chance of lower temperature for any significant period of time. May is normally a good time to plant grain sorghum in this area.

A planting rate of four to six pounds of seed per acre is usually recommended. Due to the size variation in sorghum seed, however, the number of seed per foot of row is believed to be a better guide for the planting rate. Research has indicated that optimum yields can be expected from four to six plants per foot of row in the final stand. good germinating seed commonly produce plants from approximately 50 percent of the seed planted. Consequently, an average of 10 to 12 seed per foot of row is believed to be a good planting rate. If sorghum is to be irrigated the planting rate can be increaased. If planted too thickly, lodging, charcoal rot, and uneven heads will likely cause problems. Research results shows no advantage for increasing the number of plants per acre when narrow rows are used. Sorghum seed should be planted one to two inches deep.

A soil test is your best guide as to the kind and amount of fertilizer and lime to apply for grain sorghum. Phosphate requirements are slightly lower than corn, and comparable yields can usually be produced with about three-fourths the amount of nitrogen normally recommended for corn on the same land.

Cultivation is done in much the same manner as for corn. Chemical weed control can be especially beneficial during the first few weeks after planting when sorghum normally grows slowly. Herbicides recommended for preemergence weed control in sorghum include Norea (Herban) Norea plus Atrazine (Herban 21A) Norea plus Propazine (Herban 21P) Propachlor (Ramrod), Propachlor plus Atrazine (Ramrod plus Atrazine) and Propazine (Miloguard). Herbicides should be used in accordance with their effectiveness against specific weed problems existing in each field.

Information on grain sorghum production may be obtained from County University Extension Centers.



BIG OAK FARMS INC. Manager John Servatius has a problem. More than 1,000 acres of the 6,000-acre farm are under water. Heavy rains and high Mississippi river water have stopped drainage and water continues to back up over lowlands. The levee opening at New Madrid is full. The equipment is spraying a chemical for weed control in the cotton crop. Hundreds of acres in the background are under water. The farm is eight miles southeast of East Prairie.

Stoddard Farm Lands Flooded

DEXTER — More than 20,000 acres of farm land on the western side of Stoddard County are badly flooded, due to the fact that the U. S. corps of Engineers opened the gates at Wappapello Dam at the height of the recent rains.

At the urging of U. S. Senator Stuart Symington, the gates at the dam have been partially closed, but not before the more than 20,000 acres of land were flooded. Some of the water is standing several feet deep on the farm land.

Homes have been surrounded by water, farm buildings and grain storage buildings have been flooded and damaged. Rains of Monday added to the flooding situation.

But the St. Francis River channel, which is supposed to carry away the excess water is not perfroming its purpose because of the clogged condition.

Sen Symington told farmers that approval has been given by the Congress to "clean out" the St. Francis River channel but that no money has been appropriated for the work. He promised that he would urge quick action on the problem.

The problem, as farmers in the area explain it, is this--

Heavy rains fill Wappapello Lake to a point where the U. S. Corps of Engineers, for one reason or another, feel they must open the gates and let millions of gallons of water flow downstream. The reason for opening the gate are unclear. Corps of Engineers officials claim that their reason for opening the gate are unclear. Corps of Engineers officials claim that their reason is increased pressure on the dam. Some farmers below the dam -- who are flooded almost every spring - claim that the "real reason" is the flooding of pasture land above the dam.

In either case, the gates are opened.

But the water has no place to go - or at least an unsatisfactory place to go.

Since the St. Francis River channel is clogged with undergrowth, debris, and is not dug to a sufficient depth, the water spills over onto adjoining farm land.

One farmer in the west Stoddard County area today estimated that 30,000 acres were flooded. Other estimates put the number of acres at between 20,000 and 30,000.

At the urging of Sen. Symington and others, the flow from the dam was sharply reduced, but not stopped, it was pointed out.

Meanwhile farmers in the area have a gloomy outlook toward crops this season. With the river channel clogged, the water will not leave quickly, they estimated. In the meantime, May has arrived, crops are already late, and the outlook is not bright for productive farming on those more than 20,000 acres this spring.

4-H Sunday To Be Observed

BENTON — On Sunday, 4-H Clubs and 4-H members will celebrate 4-H Sunday.

When 4-H members assemble to worship God on 4-H Club Sunday, they join with those of many generations in seeking the blessing of God upon the land, the seed, the cultivation of the earth, and the enrichment of home and community life.

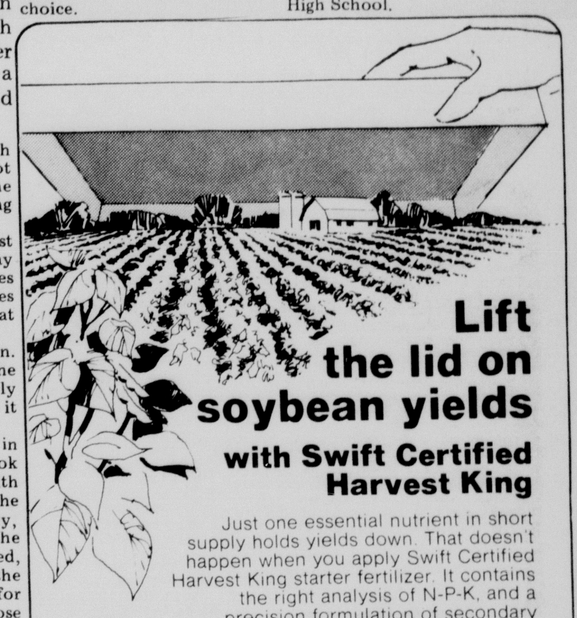
Four-H Club Sunday is an outgrowth of Rural Life Sunday. In its observance, 4-H members are encouraged to attend the church of their choice.

Dixon Takes Scout Post

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Phillip L. Dixon was employed by the Boy Scouts of America to serve as the district executive for the Shawnee District, Southeast Missouri Council.

He has moved to Cape Girardeau from Highland, Ill., where he served as district executive and director of camping for the Cahokia Mound Council, Boy Scouts of America five years.

He and his wife are graduates of Southeast Missouri State College, Cape Girardeau, 1967 and of Gideon High School.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Ranchers Want Use Of 'Agent Orange'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government is under pressure to turn loose the powerful Agent Orange, a chemical defoliant banned for use in the Vietnam war, for widespread application n American ranch lands.

Government sources say ranchers have urged that the chemical be declared military surplus and sold to them at cut rates for use in killing sagebrush on millions of acres of livestock grazing land.

Some members of Congress also have asked that the chemical be made available to ranchers, according to a spokesman for the Environmental Protection Agency.

But the EPA says it is unlikely government stockpiles of the chemical will be declared surplus.

Agent Orange was used for years by the Air Force to denude Vietnam jungles before the Defense Department halted the practice in 1970. Laboratory tests showed the chemical retarded growth and caused birth defects in rodents.

The government has about 1.6 million gallons of Agent Orange in South Vietnam and another 800,000 gallons in U.S. storage it would like to destroy.

"We're being besieged on both sides," the EPA spokesman said. "From ranchers who want us to get it for them, and from environmentalists who object to plans for burning it."

The EPA says burning Agent Orange in high-intensity furnaces which have antipoilution safeguards is an acceptable method of disposal as long as it is done away from major population centers.

Q—What city occupies the site of ancient Carthage?

A—Tunis, capital of Tunisia.

Supply Important To Soybean Buyers

HUDSON — "Quality, price and a constant, reliable supply are the three main factors which determine demand for soy protein," said Ad Blankestijn, Amsterdam, Holland.

He and three other representatives of the European oilseed crushers held a series of meetings with soybean farmers in Des Moines, Springfield, Ill.; Memphis, and Sumter, S. C. The other representatives were Eugene Schmidt, Germany; Giovanni Ramette, Italy; and Raymond Vandemoortele, Belgium. They stressed that they were not as concerned about paying $3 a bushel for beans as they are concerned about consistent supply of beans.

According to Blankestijn, the dock strike cost soybean farmers and their foreign customers "millions of dollars."

"It is unacceptable in the 20th century that a conflict of just one link of the world's economic chain can cause disastrous losses to millions of U. S. farmers and millions of consumers 5,000 to 10,000 miles away.

The right to disturb that much in the world's economic life is too much right to grant anybody. We processed 107 million bushels of soybeans in 1968, but 180 million bushels in 1971, a 66 per cent increase. By 1974, we will have completed additional plants that will stretch our capacity to 280 million bushels."

He asked the farmers to pay more attention to the management of soybean production. "You can add $15 income per acre just be increasing yield 5 bushels per acre."

These four meetings were arranged by the American Soybean Association to provide soybean farmers and their customers an opportunity to have an open discussion concerning their mutual problems.

Harold Kuehn, president of ASA, welcomed the group to the United States and stated that the U. S. soybean farmer will continue to produce the needed supply of beans for the world market. Kuehn also stated that ASA was in full agreement with the Europeans concerning the dock strike and that ASA was supporting legislation that would correct this.

"We are concerned that demand will outstrip production and supply of soybeans which could cause irreversible damage to soybean markets. In order to meet existing demand and the expected increase in demand, we must have 1.4 billion bushels of beans this year," said Blankestijn.

Teasdale To Walk In Area

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Joseph R. Teasdale will bring his walking campaign for governor to Cape Girardeau Tuesday — and he'll walk right up to what may be a heated Cape County Democratic convention.

The Jackson County prosecuting attorney from Kansas City, one of 11 seeking the Democratic party's gubernatorial nomination, will open his southeast Missouri trek by spending the day here.

On Wednesday Teasdale will walk into Scott County spending much of the day in Sikeston. He will also visit Stoddard, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot and Dunklin Counties during his 10-day tour of the Bootheel.

He will visit Illmo-Scott City Wednesday. He will be at the Scott City Hall at 1 p.m. and the Illmo City Hall at 2:30 p.m.

Accounting Course May Be Offered

PORTAGEVILLE — The University of Missouri proposes to offer Elementary Accounting I for the summer semester beginning the first week of June.

It is a three-hour course presenting the principles of accounting and their practical application.

This course is designed for bank personnel, bookkeepers, office accountants, business and finance majors.

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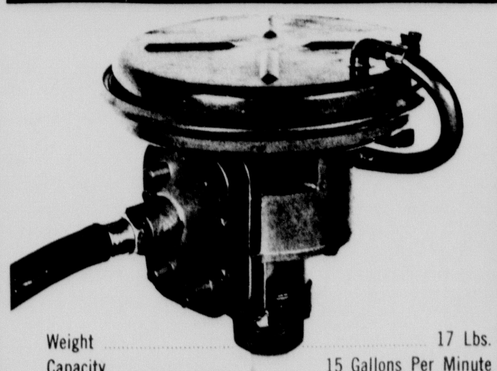

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John R. Lathom to sell liquor in original package at 111 E. Malone.

These applications will be considered at the next meeting of the City Council to be held at the City Hall in the City of Sikeston, Missouri. Any person or persons who may have lawful objections to the issuance of licenses to the above named individuals for the operation of the establishment named, or the location indicated, may file their objections with the City Clerk.

John W. Vaughn
City Clerk

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
Circuit Court For
The County Of Scott
State of Missouri

IN THE MATTER OF THE S)
ADOPTION OF)
Sheila Kay Otero, a minor,)
No. A-475

Order For Publication Notice

On this 6th day of April, 1972, it appearing from the verified application of petitioners for an order allowing service by publication that defendant, CARL OTERO, cannot be personally served within this state, it is ordered that the application of petitioners, be granted and that service by publication upon said defendant be had as provided by law and that said defendant be and is hereby notified that an action has been commenced againts t said defendant in the circuit court for Scott County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which are

custody and adoption of Sheila Kay Otero, a minor.

And that said defendant be and is hereby further notified that the name and address of the attorney for petitioners is Manuel Drumm, 113 West North Street, Sikeston, Missouri, and that said defendant is required to appear and defend this action within 45 days after the 15th day of April, 1972, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

And it is further ordered that a copy thereof be published according to law in the Daily Standard, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 10th day of April, 1972.
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Lynn F. Ingram
Circuit Clerk.

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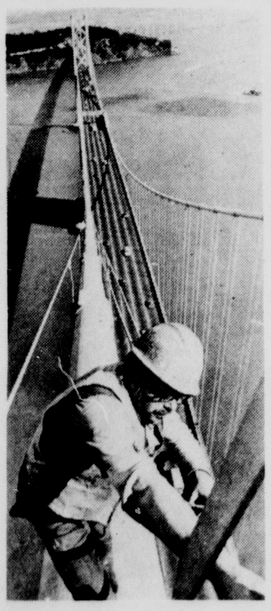

Q—What is meant by 20/20 vision?

A—Nearly perfect vision is so designated.

Q—Does the catfish have scales?

A—Most have no scales, but some of the South American kinds have bony plates over their skin.

Q—How fast does the heart of a chicken beat?

A—About 300 times a minute.

Q—Which type of animal life predominates in the world?

A—There are more insects than all other types of animals put together.

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To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Looks	31 Are	61 You
2 Excellent	32 For	62 Life
3 Better	33 And	63 Parties
4 Be	34 Explosive	64 You
5 Be	35 Sport	65 Motor
6 Willing	36 Revise	66 Places
7 Finicky	37 Especially	67 Supporter
8 Stick	38 Nothing	68 If
9 To	39 And	69 Travel
10 Someone	40 Pattern	70 Today
11 Solidify	41 Your	71 Stars
12 People	42 Lucky	72 Trips
13 Future	43 Brighter	73 Companions
14 Nothing	44 House	74 The
15 A	45 Tempers	75 On
16 Like	46 Relating	76 Changes
17 Choose	47 And	77 Tide
18 Your	48 Opinions	78 You
19 To	49 Gained	79 Might
20 Financial	50 Of	80 It's
21 Prospects	51 Than	81 Intimate
22 Admires	52 Puts	82 With
23 Good	53 Oldtime	83 Is
24 With	54 Friends	84 Imagine
25 Plans	55 Familiar	85 A
26 Ventured	56 Staunch	86 Meetings
27 New	57 Surround	87 Care
28 Friends	58 To	88 Pedestal
29 Your	59 So	89 Changing
30 Thank	60 Start	90 Justified

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 20-21-31-43 / 51-61-79-84
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 11-13-25-37 / 46-58-69
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 4-6-19-36 / 48-68-80-90
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 14-26-38-49 / 59-60-70
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 1-16-29-40 / 50-62-76
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 10-22-33-52 / 64-75-85-88
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 2-32-44-63 / 65-72-81-86
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 7-12-24-34 / 45-57-78
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 5-15-23-35 / 47-56-67
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AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 3-8-9-53 / 54-55-66
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 30-41-42-71 / 74-77-83-89

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Saturday, May 6, the 127th day of 1972. There are 239 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1941, Joseph Stalin became premier of the Soviet Union, succeeding V.M. Molotov.

On this date:

In 1818, the German social philosopher, Karl Marx, was born in Prussia.

In 1861, Arkansas withdrew from the Union.

In 1889, the Eiffel Tower in Paris was officially opened.

In 1895, movie star Rudolph Valentino was born in Castellaneta, Italy.

In 1910, The Edwardian era ended with the death of Britain's King Edward VII.

In 1960, Britain's Princess Margaret Rose was married to Antony Armstrong Jones in London's Westminster Abbey.

Ten years ago: Antonio Segni was elected president of Italy.

Five years ago: There were reports from mainland China of new clashes between Red Guards, army troops and workers.

One year ago: The U.S. Food and Drug Administration advised against eating swordfish because of its high mercury content.

Today's birthdays: Baseball star Willie Mays is 41. Actor and director Orson Wells is 57. Writer Theodore White is 57.

Thought for today: The trouble with being punctual is that nobody's there to appreciate it—anonymous.

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"Other than 'How much,' what do you have to say about it?"

Books and Writers

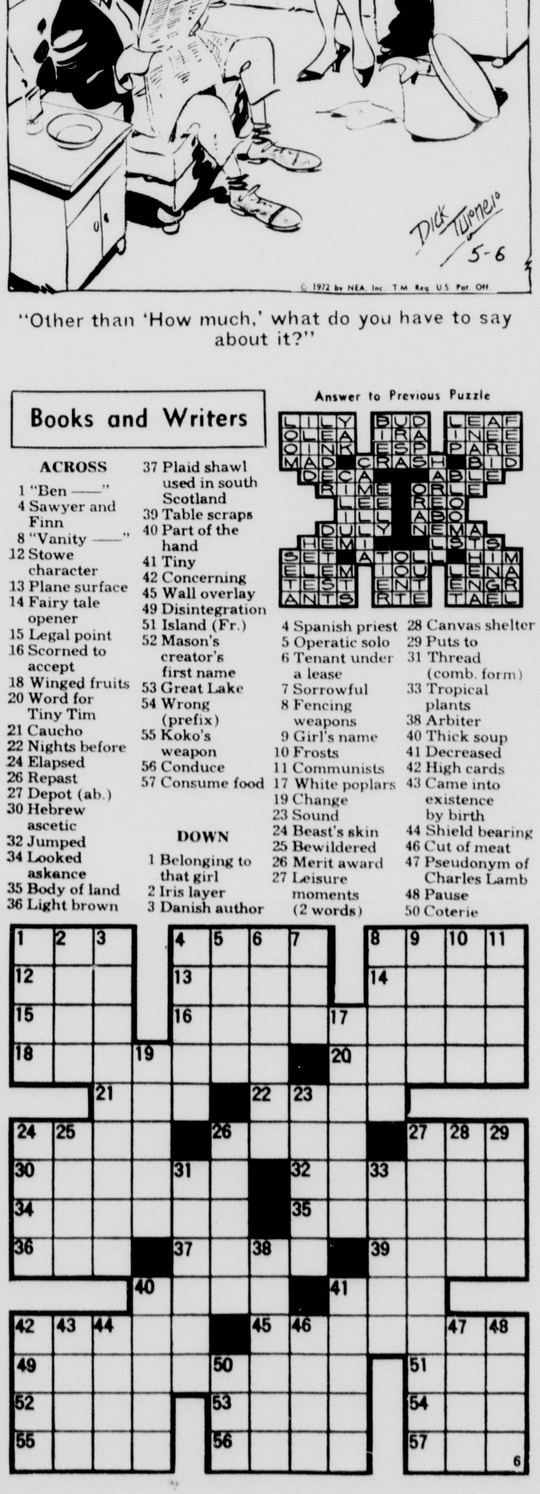
ACROSS

1 "Ben ——"
4 Sawyer and Finn
8 "Vanity ——"
12 Stowe character
13 Plane surface
14 Fairy tale opener
15 Legal point
16 Scorned to accept
18 Winged fruits
20 Word for Tiny Tim
21 Caucho
22 Nights before
24 Elapsed
26 Repast
27 Depot (ab.)
30 Hebrew ascetic
32 Jumped
34 Looked askance
35 Body of land
36 Light brown
37 Plaid shawl used in south Scotland
39 Table scraps
40 Part of the hand
41 Tiny
42 Concerning
45 Wall overlay
49 Disintegration
51 Island (Fr.)
52 Mason's creator's first name
53 Great Lake
54 Wrong (prefix)
55 Koko's weapon
56 Conduce
57 Consume food

DOWN

1 Belonging to that girl
2 Iris layer
3 Danish author
4 Spanish priest
5 Operatic solo
6 Tenant under a lease
7 Sorrowful
8 Fencing weapons
9 Girl's name
10 Frosts
11 Communists
17 White poplars
19 Change
23 Sound
24 Beast's skin
25 Bewildered
26 Merit award
27 Leisure moments (2 words)
28 Canvas shelter
29 Puts to
31 Thread (comb. form)
33 Tropical plants
38 Arbiter
40 Thick soup
41 Decreased
42 High cards
43 Came into existence by birth
44 Shield bearing
46 Cut of meat
47 Pseudonym of Charles Lamb
48 Pause
50 Coterie

Answer to Previous Puzzle



THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod

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CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence

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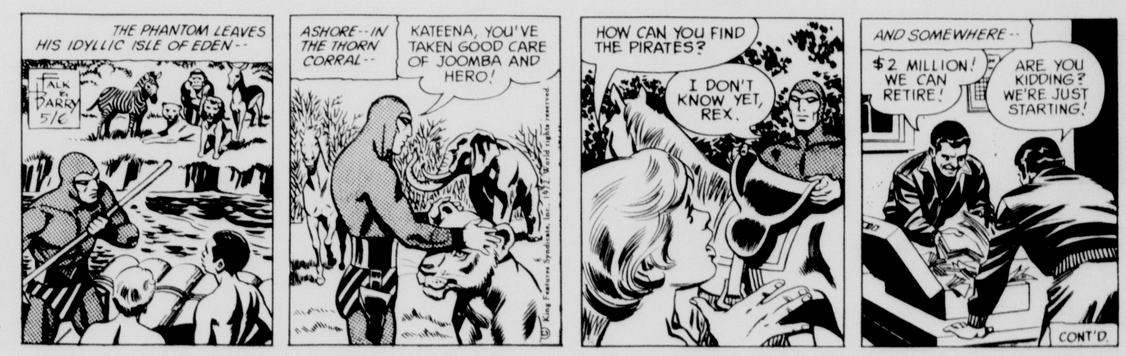

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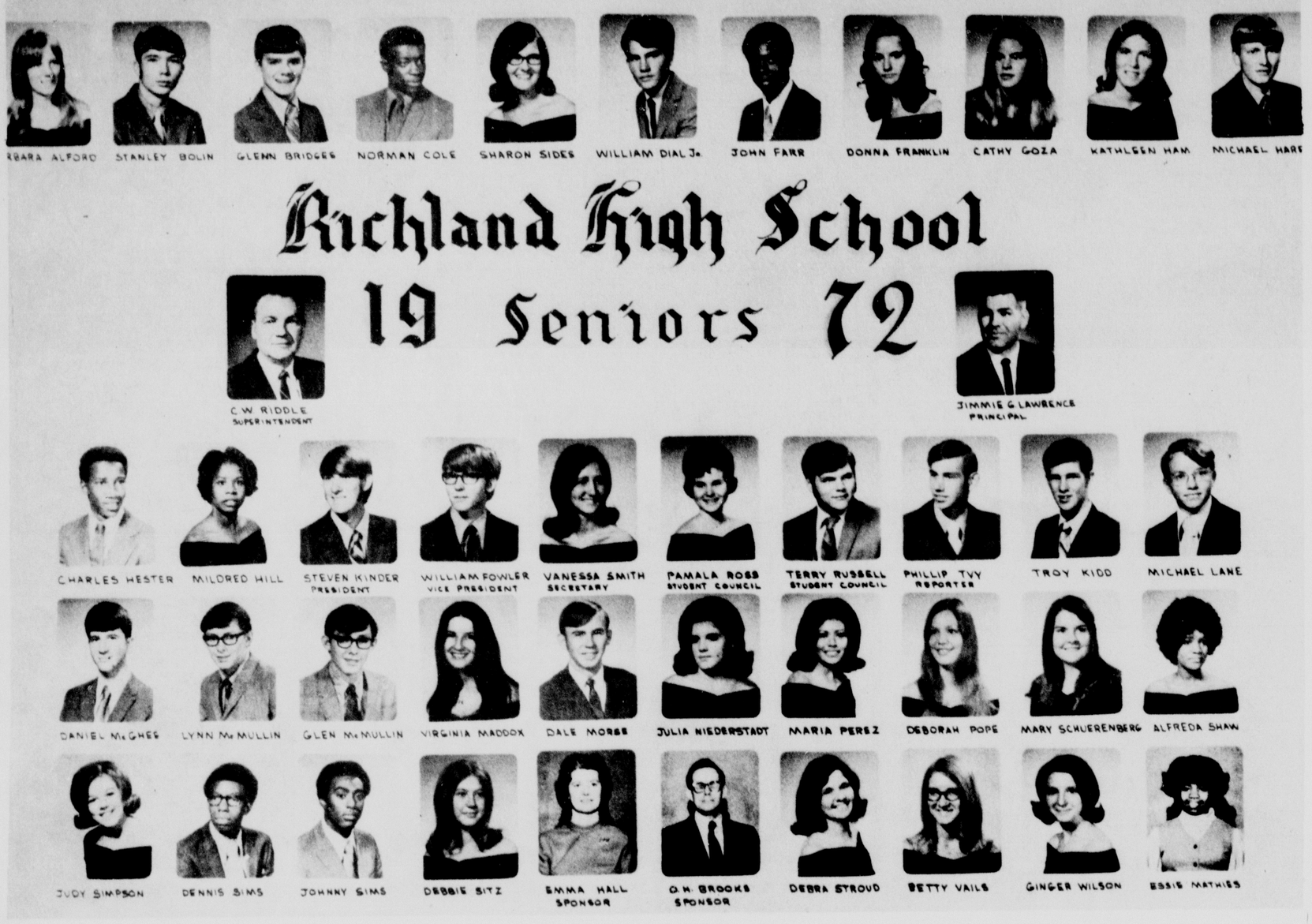

RICHLAND HIGH SCHOOL of Essex will hold graduation ceremonies May 19 Those graduating are, from left, top to bottom, Barbara Alford, Stanley Bolin, Glenn Bridges, Norman Cole, Sharon Sides, William Dial Jr., John Farr, Donna Franklin, Cathy Goza, Kathleen Hann, Michael Hare, C. W. Riddle, superintendent Jimmie G. Lawrence, principal, Charles Hester, Mildred Hill, Steven Kinder, class president, William Fowler, vice president; Vanessa Smith, secretary; Pamela Ross, student council; Terry Russell, student council; Phillip Tvy, reporter; Troy Kidd, Michael Lane, Daniel McGhee, Lynn McMullin, Glen McMullin, Virginia Maddox, Dale Morse, Julia Niederstadt, Maria Perez, Deborah Pope, Mary Schuerenberg, Alfreda Shaw, Judy Simpson, Dennis Sims, Johnny Sims, Debbie Sitz, Emma Hall, sponsor; O. H. Brooks, sponsor; Debra Stroud, Betty Vails, Ginger Wilson, Essie Mathies.

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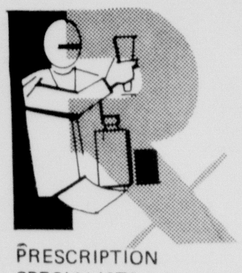

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Deaths

FLEIX BOX

NEW MADRID — Felix Box, 62, 250 Dawson Road, a retired meatpacker and farmer, died Tuesday at Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff following an extended illness.

He was born April 12, 1910, in Greenville, Miss. He was a World War II veteran.

Survivors include his widow, Dazy; one son, Razie Box of Saginaw, Mich., and three grandchildren.

Visitation hours are 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at Richards Funeral Home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Mount Olive Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Charlie Bell officiating.

Burial will be in Sand Hill Cemetery.

ALBERT FARRIS

DEXTER Albert Lee Farris, 68, 715 North Sassafras, died Friday at 10:45 a.m. in Dexter Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack.

He was born Nov. 30, 1903, in Pemiscot County. He married Glenda Hodge Jan. 12, 1944, in Arkansas.

Survivors include his widow; three sons, Gary Lee Farris, Poplar Bluff; Charles Dewayne Farris, Dexter; Albert Junior Farris, Malden; one daughter, Mary Lee Noltkamper, Belleville, Ill.; one sister, Mrs. Mamie Ward, Dudley; and three grandchildren.

Services wil be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Rainey Funeral Home with the Rev. Gerald Beam officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

COMMUNITY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION offices in the East Prairie R-2 school district were installed. From left, Jerry Williams, president; Michael Euer, vice president; Mrs. Roy Cloud, secretary; and Miss Imogene Gullion, treasurer.

JAMES DAVENPORT

James A. "Jim" Davenport, 58, 327 Edmondson, died today at 8:50 a.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

He was employed by the International Shoe Factory for 27 years.

He was born March 31, 1914 in Scott county.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Velma Mays Davenport, of Sikeston; four daughters, Mrs. Paul Holden, Mrs. Marvin Williams and Emily Ruth Davenport, all of Sikeston, Mrs. Howard Davis of East St. Louis; one brother, Lyman Davenport, of Sikeston; one sister, Mrs. Verba Bolden of Cape Girardeau and 11 grandchildren.

Visitation may begin after 6 p.m. today in the Welsh Funeral Home.

Services will be Monday at 2 p.m. in the Welsh chapel with the Rev. T. A. McDonough, pastor of the Assembly of God church officiating, assisted by the Rev. G. B. Corn, pastor of the Fellowship Baptist church.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

GOLDIE MORRIS

FESTUS — Mrs. Goldie Morris, 81, died at 3 a.m. Friday, in the Mountain View Nursing Home at Festus.

Mrs. Morris was of the Clines Island community but had been a patient at the nursing home one year.

She was a member of the Clines Island General Baptist church and had been the Clines Island correspondent for the Bloomfield Vindicator.

She was born Sept. 11, 1890 in Monterey, daughter of James F. and Mary J. Wilson. She married Joe D. Morris Nov. 10, 1949. He died Dec. 31, 1966.

Eastern Star rites will be at 8 p.m. today in the Chiles Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be Sunday at 2 p.m. in the chapel with the Rev. Floyd Miller of Poplar Bluff and the Rev. William Lucy of Essex officiating.

Burial will be in the Bloomfield cemetery.

ETHEL DYE

Services for Ethel Elizabeth Dye, 78, of Crowder will be Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the chapel of the Bill O'Guinn Funeral Home in Sikeston with the Rev. John Cullins, pastor of the Crowder Church of God, officiating.

Burial will be in the New Morley cemetery.

Mrs. Dye died early Friday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Floya Masterson, in Crowder. She was born Jan. 12, 1894 in Mississippi county.

Other survivors include two daughters, Lornen Wheeler of Oneida, Ill. and Mrs. Nellie Tracy of St. Louis; two sons, C. L. Gray of Galva, Ill. and Roscoe Gray of Morley; two stepsons, Carol and Ode Dye, both of Crowder; two step daughters, Mrs. Pauline Green of Bell City and Mrs. Lucille Burris of Grant City; one sister, Mrs. Kate Whittenberg of Hayti; three brothers, Walter Wilburn of Farmington, Herbert Wilburn of Patton and Watt Wilburn of Crystal Rivers, Fla., 13 grandchildren; 33 great grandchildren.

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Palmer Promoted By IBM

David W. Palmer of Saugerties, N.Y., has been promoted by International Business Machines to senior associate programmer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer of Sikeston and has been with IBM 11 years.

He is a 1956 graduate of Sikeston High School and served four years in the Air Force. He attended Southeast Missouri State College, Cape Girardeau, two years.

He is in Sikeston to help operate his father's business while his father recovers from a heart attack.

Telephone Rate Hike Opposed

CAPE GIRARDEAU — A copy of the resolution approved Wednesday night by the City Council opposing the proposed rate increase for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was forwarded to the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The PSC will begin hearings Monday in Jefferson City on the company's request for higher rates.

The City of Cape Girardeau is one of the intervenors in the case, although no city officials plan to attend the hearings. The resolution endorses testimony of the General Services Administration, principal intervenor.

The company is asking for a $63.5 million rate increase which would affect customers throughout Missouri. The cae will move to the St. Louis County Courthouse in Clayton on May 22-23 where public testimony will be taken.

The company's request for the annual increase has drawn 26 intervenors to protect the interests of various cities, counties and groups. Sikeston, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Farley, Independence and Grandview are among cities that have intervened.

Correction

The name of John Sterling Nolen, of Lilbourn, who died enroute to the Missouri Delta Community hospital Thursday after he was struck by a Cotton Belt Railroad freight train, was spelled incorrectly in Friday's Daily Standard. Also incorrect were his widow's maiden name, Evelyn Miller, and one of his daughter's name, Joyce Nettles.

Q—What does the Hebrew name Michael mean?

A—Godlike.

18 Treated

Eighteen were treated in the emergency room of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital Friday:

Francis Hemphill, 11, Charleston, fell while playing and cut right hand; Alonzo Wigfall, 17, Portageville, injured at home, bruises and scratches; Thersa Adams, 36, Sikeston, injured at work, bruised; Ira Blankenship, 26, Canalou, fell at home, scratched and bruised.

Bernard Hicks, 12, Essex, sprained left wrist at home; David Williford, 12, East Prairie, fractured right arm at school; Bryan Jolly, 53, Sikeston, fell at home and cut scalp; Leland Elfe, 45, Wausau, Wis. cut foot on glass; James Clemons, 48, East Prairie, face burned by radiator;

James Hall, 19, New Madrid, stepped on nail, puncture wound to left foot; Henry Baker, 12, Sikeston, fell at school and bruised right foot; Syble Norwood, 3, Canalou, stepped on nail, puncture wound of right foot; Evelyn Tedford, 15, Sikeston, sprained right hand while playing.

Ronnie Thomason, 28, Maldrn, injured back at work; Donna Fuhrman, 3, Sikeston, fell at home and cut chin; Jimmie Jones, 27, Bertrand, cut right hand at work; Lissa Gregory, 16, Sikeston, cut right hand on glass; William Campbell, 16, Parma, fell at school and bruised right elbow.

Six Arrested For Speeding

CHARLESTON — Appearing in police court this morning on charges of speeding were Connie Morrow, Sikeston, fined $15; Ralph Saudder, Sikeston, fined $11; and Janice Sanders, Cape Girardeau, fined $12.

Also arrested last night on speeding charges were Dale Tatum, 33, Anniston, John Edward Glass, 23, Charleston and John Poyner, 39, of Sikeston. They will appear in police court Monday.

Cornell Cassell, 42, Charleston paid a $12 fine Friday on a charge of running a stop sign.

Earnest Walker, 24, was fined $15 on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Q—Which two heavyweight boxing champions retired undefeated and did not attempt a comeback?

A—Gene Tunny and Rocky Marciano.

Q—Do turtles have teeth?

A—No. But the jaws have horny edges that can cut hard substances.

Q—Which two states were admitted to the Union on the same day?

A — North and South Dakota, Nov. 2, 1889.

Charleston In Contest

JEFFERSON CITY — Charleston has entered the 1972 Missouri Community Betterment awards competition, Guy Park Krause, director of the program, announced.

Communities entered will compete with cities of comparable size and $10,500 will be awarded to towns under 10,000 in population.

The 1972 winners will be announced at the ninth annual Missouri Community Betterment conference in October.

County Court Approves Bills

BENTON — The Scott County Court has reviewed and approved these bills:

Lankford Drug Store, Chaffee, medicine for county prisoners, $40.07;

Daily Standard, Sikeston, printing 2,000 bad check complaint sheets for prosecuting attorney, $64.90, printing 2,000 non- assessment cards for collector, $34.75;

Cox Office Supply, Sikeston, office supplies for probate judge, $23.10;

Superior Business Machines, Inc., Sikeston, repairing office machine for circuit clerk, $36.50.

River Stages

Mississippi River Stages

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	25.6	-.2
Cape Girardeau	32	31.6	+.4
Cairo	40	47.3	-.4
New Madrid	34	36.4	-.2
Caruthersville	32	35.7	-.2

FORECAST

The forecast at Chester is not available on Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .1 Sunday; fall .3 Monday and fall .5 Tuesday.

At Cairo the river will fall .8 Sunday; fall one foot Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .3 Sunday; fall .7 Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall .3 Sunday; fall .5 Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

ohio river stages

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda, Ill.	40	37.0	-2.9
Paducah, Ky.	39	38.0	-1.1
Grand Chain, Ill.	42	47.3	-.6
Cairo	40	47.3	-.4

FORECAST

The Ohio river at Golconda will fall 2.5 Sunday; fall 2.2 Monday and fall 1.8 Tuesday.

At Paducah the river will fall 1.5 Sunday; fall 1.5 Monday and fall 1.5 Tuesday.

At Grand Chain and Cairo the river will fall .8 Sunday; fall one foot Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

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Hijacker Bails Out Over Central America

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A skydiving hijacker armed with a pistol bailed out over Central America today, apparently richer by $303,000 he extorted from Eastern Air Lines, while a second American passenger jet was forced to fly to Cuba.

The disappearance of the armed Vietnam veteran who had demanded the ransom and six parachutes brought to an end a hijacking that had begun Friday in Pennsylvania.

Herman Vales Sosa, commandant of the airport at Merida, Mexico, where the Eastern 727 jet finally landed, quoted the fatigued crew as saying the hijacker had left the plane near San Pedro Sula in Honduras, about 760 miles southeast of Mexico City.

Details of the final stage of the 21-hour marathon hijacking were sketchy. Earlier reports said the man had bailed out over the jungle near the border of Mexico and British Honduras.

The sky pirate boarded the jet in Allentown, Pa., and after two stops at Washington's Dulles Airport and one in New Orleans, La., he directed the plane toward British Honduras.

During the stop at New Orleans, he traded the original three-engine jet, by then reportedly hobbled with a hydraulic problem, for a fresh Eastern 727.

On the first stop at Dulles the hijacker was given the $303,000 and the parachutes in return for releasing the 48 passengers and one stewardess.

But he ordered the plane back to Dulles to exchange his ransom for one in bills of a larger denomination.

The second hijacking began Friday afternoon shortly after a Western Airlines 737 jet left Salt Lake City for Los Angeles, where an armed sky pirate released four children and seven adult passengers and said he wanted to be flown to Hanoi but decided instead on Cuba.

The hijacker, who demanded U.S. withdrawal from Indochina and passage to a Communist country, then took off with 64 passengers and six crewmen for Dallas, Tex., and a refueling stop.

The plane then went to Tampa, Fla., to refuel again, and then headed for Cuba, arriving in Havana early today.

The eastern hijacker, described as well dressed, wellspoken and businesslike, carrying what one passenger said was a .38-caliber revolver, made the plane circle the Washington area for 5 1/2 hours and then return to Dulles because he did not like the denomination of the bills in the ransom.

He had demanded payment in bills of $100, $500 and $1,000, apparently to make a lighter bundle for a parachute getway. The airline originally paid him in $100 bills, saying it was all they could get on short notice. But the larger bills were provided on the second stop.

This was the 11th hijacking since last Nov. 12 in which a hijacker sought a ransom and the 10th in which a ransom and parachutes were requested.

CHARLESTON'S MAN OF THE YEAR award was presented last night by Lion's Club President Herbert Marshall, left, to Robert H. Coon. Mrs. Coon received a bouquet of red roses.

Jackie Coon

Linda Commer

Fred Nolley

Jackie Coon Top Scholar

Three Seniors Honored

NEW MADRID — Jackie Coon, Linda Commer and Fred Nolley were announced award winning seniors at the second annual ahonors banquet Friday night at New Madrid High School.

Miss Coon was named valedictorian, Miss Commer, salutatorian, and Nolley received the Raymond T. Sides $500 memorial scholarship.

Daughter of Mrs. Maxine Coon and Johnnie Coon, Miss Coon received a certificate of achievement from Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, waiving incidental fees for 1972-73. Departmental awards given Miss Coon include two shorthand pins for achieving 110 and 120 words per minute and an outstanding athlete award for her accomplishments in volley ball. She plans to attend SEMO State and major in business education and minor in physical education.

Miss Commer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Commer. Among departmental awards presented her were shorthand pin for 110 words per minute, contemporary issues medal, senior English medal and the John Phillip Sousa outstanding musicianship award. Her name will be engraved on a permanent plaque in the band department. She will attend SEMO state and major in business education and minor in data processing.

Nolley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Nolley of Kewanee, plans to major in music at SEMO State. The memorial scholarship received by Nolley is based on ability, need and merit. The scholarship was established by the Jaycees and is financed by civic organizations.

Other awards given Nolley were band master award, a medal for band achievement and progress, outstanding basketball player, athletic letter, outstanding senior in choral music, physics medal and four- year mathematics award.

Demo Candidates Coming To Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- At least 19 of the Democratic candidates for statewide offices, including the four major gubernatorial contenders, will be in Cape Girardeau May 13 for a Democrat Candidates Day.

The event, sponsored by the Southeast Missouri State College Young Democrats, the Cape County Democratic Central Committee, and the Cape County Democratic Womens Club, will be held by the band shell in Capaha Park, at 3 p.m.

The four leadinf contenders for the party's nomination for governor, Lt. Gov. William S. Morris, Jackson County Prosecutor Joseph Teasdale, State Sen. Earl Balckwell, and former St. Louis Circuit Attorney Edward L. Dowd, have indicated they will attend.

On hand will be contenders for the nomination for lieutenant governor and state treasurer.

Heading the list of lieutenant governor hopefuls will be Rep. Jack J. Schramm and House Speaker James Godfrey.

Topping the list of treasurer candidates are Larry Carp, Clayton, House Appropriations Committee Chairman E. J. "Lucky" Cantrell, and former Rep. James I. Spainhower.

Other leading contenders, who will be at the Candidates Day, are Secretary of State James C. Kirkpatrick and Rep. James E. Spain, Bloomfield, a candidate for attorney general.

At 4 p.m. each candidate will speak. A barbecue will be held at 5:30 p.m.

Former Sikeston Man's Wife Killed

TULSA, Okla. -- Rex F. Peterson, former Sikeston, Mo., resident, is reported in fair condition today by St. Francis Hospital officials after a Thursday night automobile accident in which his wife, Joy, was killed.

The headon collision occurred near here.

Peterson, 3915 East Third St., is a brother of Mrs. Jim Lambert of Sikeston.

Services for Mrs. Peterson, 56, will be Monday at 11 a.m. in the Immanuel Baptist Church.

Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery in Vinita with Butler's Chapel of the Roses Funeral Home, in charge.

Born Aug. 2, 1915, she was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; her father, Otto Britginson, Vinita; two brothers, Jess Briginson, of Jay; Stanley Britginson, Big Cabin; three sisters, Mrs. Pearl Forstell of California; and Mrs. Oneta Hamilton and Mrs. Maxine Chanley, both of Vinita.

Bomb In Farm House Dismantled

MINER — A highway patrol bomb squad from Jefferson City this morning dismantled a bomb made of six sticks of dynamite found yesterday in an abandoned house three miles south of here.

The bomb was found by Norman Jones of 236 North Handy St., Sikeston. Jones bought the property and was planning to move the old house and convert it into a barn. He was working at the house yesterday when he found the explosive.

The highway patrol said the dynamite appeared to be old. The bomb squad was called in because the nitrate in the dynamite appeared to have degenerated and the patrol feared the bomb might explode if jarred. The dynamite was detonated after it was removed from the house.

Weather Review

Weather observations are for the 24-hour periods ending at 7 a.m. daily.

	High	Low	Rain
April 29	72	57	.00
April 30	79	64	.46
May 1	68	57	.59
May 2	71	49	.00
May 3	69	47	.00
May 4	74	48	.00
May 5	79	61	.00

Rainfall for the week.....1.05
Rainfall for the month 59
Rainfall for the year.....17.65

	'69	'70	'71	'72
Jan.	10.56	.96	4.01	2.36
Feb.	2.28	2.66	6.81	5.48
Mar.	3.20	5.92	1.68	2.70
Apr.	5.96	8.39	2.34	6.52
May	1.96	2.97	3.68	
June	1.26	8.61	7.70	
July	3.29	2.18	5.05	
Aug.	3.29	3.41	5.32	
Sept.	2.17	4.97	4.74	
Oct.	2.99	5.04	1.71	
Nov.	3.78	2.26	2.54	
Dec.	2.02	3.87	4.20	
	43.50	53.18	49.78	

Eight Countries To Limit Steel Exports To U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House announced today that Japan and seven Western European countries have agreed to halt further inroads into the U.S. market for steel through 1974.

Under a new three-year voluntary agreement to curb their exports, the foreign producers said they would limit their share of the American market to the present level of 15 per cent.

In a statement, President Nixon said:

"This undertaking represents a substantial improvement over the arrangements of the last three years and will enable domestic steel producers to make their plans with confidence that imports will not be disruptive in the domestic market. It will help preserve the jobs of American steel workers."

Besides agreeing to limits on over-all steel exports, the foreign producers agreed to even more stringent curbs on exports of higher-priced specialty steels such as strainless, tool and other alloys.

In these categories, the voluntary limits for 1972 and 1973 will represent rollbacks from last year's actual shipment levels.

The United Kingdom, for the first time, joined Japan and the European iron and steel community in initialing the export restrictions. The other countries involved are Belgium, France, West Germany, Italy, Luxembourg and the Netherlands.

Charges Filed In Cairo Shooting

CAIRO — Murder charges have been filed against Harold E. (Brad) Halley in connection with the fatal shooting of the owner of the Stork Club, according to Alexander County Sheriff Donald Turner.

Halley, 38, a former resident of Sikeston and the ex- husband of the dead man's widow, was held in the county jail. He was arraigned Thursday before Judge Mike O'Shea.

Sheriff's deputies found Halley sitting at the bar of the Stork Club Thursday morning when they arrived to investigate the death of the club's owner, Mearl Chamness, 40, at 4 a.m. Thursday.

A .38 caliber pistol was on the bar in front of where Halley sat, according to police. All five of its shells had been fired.

A pistol reportedly owned by Chamness was at the bar near where his body lay. According to reports, two of its shells had been fired.

Chamness was struck in the back by three bullets from a .38 caliber pistol. Two passed through him, while the third lodged in his body.

Chamness' body was on the floor near the cash register behind the bar when police arrived on the scene.

Halley, former operator of the Southern Belle night club, south of the location of the Stork Club, was formerly married to Chamness' widow, Marlaine.

Chamness had purchased the Stork Club a month ago. Prior to an accident which resulted in the amputation of a portion of left leg, Chamness had worked on the river as a barge hand.

Parma Man Car Victim

Harold D. Graham, 22, Parma, was killed this morning at 1 a.m. in a one-car accident three miles south of Morehouse on route E.

According to the highway patrol, Graham was traveling south at high speed when his 1964 Plymouth apparently ran off the road and overturned. He was thrown 40 feet from the vehicle and was killed instantly.

The body is at Boyd Funeral Home in Malden.

Auto Sales Firm Sold

Ferrell Auto Sales on West Malone has been sold to Dennis Wilson according to Bill Ferrell, former owner.

Ferrell said there will be no change in the firms name.

Close Street Entrance

City officials have announced the closing of the east and west entrances to Lake Street from Main Street. They will be closed due to construction from today until Wednesday.

Two Arrests In 3-Vehicle Crash

DEXTER — Two men were arrested and one person slightly injured in a three - vehicle accident at 11:10 a.m. Thursday, three miles south of here on Highway 25.

According to the highway patrol, a 1972 Pontiac, driven by Clay Junior Wilfong, 54, struck the rear of a pickup truck, driven by Paul Wayne Morgan, 22, of Bernie. The Morgan vehicle then struck the rear of a car driven by Lowell Wayne Shelby, 19, of Parma. Morgan was treated and released from Dexter Memorial Hospital.

The patrol said Wilfong was arrested on Route H by Sgt. Joe Matthews and charged with leaving the scene of an accident, driving while intoxicated and driving without an operators license. They also charged the car he was driving was reported stolen by a car rental agency in St. Louis.

A passenger in the Wilfong car, Morris Wright, Jr., was charged with public intoxication.

Both men are being held in the Stoddard county jail.

Wilfong has a police record in Stoddard county, including a forgery charge pending since 1968 for which he was never taken into custody. He was released in April of 1969, from the Missouri penitentiary, where he served a four-year sentence for passing bogus checks.

At 10 p.m. yesterday in Portageville, Alonzo Wigfall, 17, of Portageville, was struck by a car while crossing highway 162.

The driver of the car, William Covey, 60, of Portageville, told police he did not see the boy crossing the street until he hit him.

Wigfall received cuts and bruises. He was treated and released from Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

Council Elects Gary Ryan

Gary B. Ryan

PORTAGEVILLE -- Gary B. Ryan of Kennett was unanimously elected executive vice president of the Missouri Delta Council Thursday night, Pat Burlison, Hornersville, chairman of the board of directors, announced.

Ryan, 34, is a native of Colorado and graduated from Southeast Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau in 1962. He completed law school at South Texas College of Law, in Houston in 1970.

He is married and has two sons.

Ryan will assume his position on the board Monday.

Area leaders elected as board members:

Phillip Shelton, Malden, executive director of the Bootheel Regional Planning Commission; Norman Brown, superintendent of the University of Missouri Delta Research Center; Marion R. Waggener, Charleston; member, Missouri Division of Commerce and Industrial Development; Glenn Patton, University of Missouri Extension Service; and Camille Huber, Office of Economic Opportunity.

Charleston Honors Go To Insurance Agent

CHARLESTON — Man of the Year honors were bestowed on Robert H. Coon at last night's Sixth Annual Lions Club award banquet in the armory.

More than 200 persons heard Lions President Herbert Marshall cite the accomplishments of Coon.

Coon, a graduate of St. Henry's High School, attended St. Louis University and continued his graduate work at an insurance school in Hartford, Conn.

He has served as president of the Lion's Club, Chamber of Commerce, Country Club, and the Southeast Missouri Association of Insurance Agents.

In 1969 he was chairman of the community betterment committee when the city took second place in the state contest.

Coon has been an active scoutmaster 10 years and is president of St. Henry's School Board. A member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, he serves on the industrial development committee, the urban renewal commission and the parks and recreation board.

Owner of Coon's Insurance Agency, he and his wife, the former Shirley Collier, are parents of five sons. Three of the sons are Eagle Scouts.

Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, was introduced by Blair Moran as "a true friend and great asset to our area."

Eagleton spoke on the changes taking place in the country, the growth in economy and population and the trend to urbanization. He said the flow of population from small communities and rural areas should be stopped.

Eagleton said:

"A new rural development bill just passed by the Senate directed strong government action toward three main objectives: preservation of the independent family farm pattern of agriculture; improvement of public services in rural communities; and provides credit resources adequate to the task of rural development.

"The success of a new program will not lie with the federal officials who will administer it, it will be up to you to work to improve your communities and help create the opportunities that will enable your children and neighbors to remain in your community."

Sheriff W. J. "Pedro" Simmons was master of ceremonies and introduced past men of the year, A. J. Drinkwater, Marion Waggener, and H. R. Hequembourg. Simmons was man of the year in 1968 and a moment of silence was observed in honor of the late John Harris Marshall, man of the year, in 1967.

Dinner was served by members of the 202 D. Engineer Company of the National Guard. S/Sgt. 6 Tony Giltz, Sgt. 5 Charles Lingle, E4 Robbin Chambers and PFC. 3 Caroll Morrow posted the colors, prior to the pledge of allegiance led by Eagle Scout Walter Pollock. Mrs. Herbert Marshall sang the national anthem, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn Stewart.

Invocation and benediction were offered by the Rev. William H. Mathae.

$8,470 In Tax Collection

The city collected $8,470.17 in taxes last month, according to C. W. Martin, city collector.

Current tax collections totaled $983.68, including $491.39, in real estate; $488.81 in personal; and $3.48 in merchants and manufacturing taxes.

Bank tax collections -- real estate totaled $33. Licenses brought in $1,109.76.

Miscellaneous collections totaled $6,343.76, including $2,403.20 from the housing authority, and $3,888.57 from Associated Natural Gas.

Report Sale Made Upstairs

CHARLESTON — Mrs. Ilene Powell, charged with selling intoxicating liquor to members of the Missouri Liquor Department April 6 without a license, was accused of making the sale in the Cattlemen's Club, according to Mississippi County sheriff's authorities.

The club is located above the Storming Bull Restaurant, where authorities previously said the sale had occurred. Mrs. Powell and her husband, Charles, operate the restaurant and Powell is president of the Club.

Ferry Now In Operation

PORTAGEVILLE — The Tiptonville ferry today resumed services to trucks only. Normal operations to include cars are expected tomorrow.

The ferry has been closed ten days because of water across an access road due to high stages in the Mississippi River.

Steele Woman Dies After Crash

A Steele woman was injured fatally and five others were hurt in two Bootheel traffic accidents yesterday.

Mrs. Clytee Ledbetter, 53, died of injuries while enroute to a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Ledbetter was riding in a car driven by her daughter, Mrs. Sharon Samford, 18 of Steele, who received minor injuries. Her daughter's husband Frank Samford, 18, a passenger, also received minor injuries.

They were taken to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

According to the highway patrol the Samford auto struck the rear of a truck driven by William Martin, 69, of Steele, who was backing out into route C from a private drive.

Injured in the truck were Ruby Martin, 61, wife of the driver, and Shawn Still, 2, of Steele. Both received minor injuries and were taken to Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett.

James Harlin Lowes, 22, of Jackson, was taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau with rib injuries following a two- car accident at 2:50 p.m. yesterday, five miles north of Sikeston on Interstate 55.

According to the patrol, Lowe's car had a blowout, went out of control and struck a pickup truck driven by Leslie Rister, 71, of Sikeston. Both cars left the road and the Rister truck overturned in the median.

It's Inside.....

The Bulldogs rallied for a 8 to 7 win over the Charleston Bluejays. Turn to ... page 5.

New census reports show for the first time in five years there is more farm labor. Turn to ... page 6.

More than 20,000 acres of Stoddard county farmland is flooded. Turn to ... page 7.

.....And Outside

Increasing cloudiness tonight with thundershowers likely tonight and Sunday. Low tonight around 60. High Sunday in 70s. Probability of rain 30 per cent tonight, 50 Sunday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Slight chance of showers on Wednesday, otherwise fair Monday through Wednesday. Temperatures will range in 40s for low and 60s for high.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 79 and 61 degrees.

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Saturday, May 6 — Pince-nez Lens Wipe

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

The four-day work week is becoming more and more popular. The only trouble is that most of those who favor it -- expect to be paid on an eight-day basis.

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GOODBYE TO
CULTURAL CORROSION

Good news seems to be in short supply these days. Thus, whenever we hear some good news, we are happy to pass it on. And it is definitely good news to learn that in the opinion of at least one expert in the field of art, the days of "junk art" are numbered, and that at long last some of the junk that has been passed off to the gullible as "art" is now being accurately labeled for what it is; junk.

In an interview with Miss Marilyn Manion on the "Manion Forum" radio program, Frank Cookman Wright, a distinguished and talented artist who has served in leadership positions for many years in the American Artists Professional League, declared that "some of the fine critics in this country are gradually becoming revolted by the extremism that is called "contemporary art."

"I think the public has tuned it out very rapidly in a lot of places," said Mr. Wright, "and any museum that tries to push it now is going to have a hard time."

How did junk come to be called art in the first place? Much of this, claims Frank Wright, is because we lacked "the moral courage to make value judgements." We've been scared of being called "square" if we "stand up for what's right and what's wrong, what's good and what's bad, what's worthwhile and what isn't."

"I think the best definition on the purpose of art came from Aristotle," said Mr. Wright. "Aristotle says the purpose of art is to make nature more intelligible. I don't think that has ever been improved upon."

We'll buy that. It will be good to see our major museums return to the presentation of coherent, intelligible art.

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Those who ask the most questions remember the fewest answers.

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It was said that the marriage of a Sikeston girl was "quiet and simple" because her family was in mourning following a death. What would they have called noisy? They had a parade, a dinner with champagne, a reception, and presents enough to start a store.

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Could it be the South's turn to save the Union? That is, in fact, what is happening, according to a book called, "You Can't Eat Magnolias," produced by the L.Q.C. Lamar Society and soon to be published by McGraw-Hill.

"The freshest, most hopeful, most energetic section of the country right now is the South," writes Terry Sanford, former governor of North Carolina and now president of Duke University, in one chapter. "The South's time has come, after a century of being the whipping boy and the backward child. The South can lead the nation ... and all the better, because the nation has never been in greater need of leadership."

A number of the 26 contributors to the book comment that the South is the only region of the country that still has time to build livable cities, design political units people can relate to with confidence, and preserve air worth breathing and water worth drinking. The South is assessed as a newcomer to the affluence of the nation, and despite its violent history of racial conflict, the only region imbued with a youthful spirit of reformation. One central message appears to be: the nation now is hungering for the South's small-town civility and emphasis on personal relationships, and watching hopefully to see if Southern states can demonstrate ways to preserve these values in the midst of urbanization and industrialization.

The manuscript was compiled and edited by H. Brandt Ayers, editor and publisher of The Anniston (Ala.) Star, and Thomas Naylor, professor of economics at Duke University. Ayers is president of the L.Q.C. Lamar Society, organized in 1969, which Ayers calls a group of people "who believed the South could achieve practical solutions to its problems."

Several authors in the Society's book put particular emphasis on the need for the South to control the growth of cities in order to avoid creating "northern replicas" of congestion, pollution and decay.

Racial problems are taken up by a number of the writers in an atmosphere of hope based on the facts that Southern schools have surpassed other regions in integration and that several progressive governors have been elected recently without making race an issue in their campaigns.

Two successful Southern black politicians have chapters in the manuscript — Maynard Jackson, vice mayor of Atlanta, and Curtis Graves, one of the first blacks elected to the Texas Legislature since reconstruction. Both call for a movement based on coalition politics, rather than strictly economic development, or violence.

Several of the writers express deep concern for Southern education. Naylor suggests that each Southern state assemble a citizens committee to define new goals for public education in the 70s, design a prototype educational system to achieve the goals, and then begin selling the program to state legislatures and local governments.

Wallace M. Alston, minister of the First Presbyterian Church of Durham, N.C., and Wayne Flynt, associate professor of history at Samford University, analyze Southern religion in the book.

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If you are especially anxious to please a married woman, you can do it by remarking how beautifully she made over her old dress, in the presence of her husband.

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GOODWILL WEEK

Goodwill Industries of America, this year, will be given special recognition during the observance of Goodwill Week, May 7-13. This outstanding organization has expanded from a fairly humble beginning to a point where it is now nationally recognized as an authority in the field of providing rehabilitation and training for the handicapped.

In Goodwill shops throughout the United States, many thousands of handicapped people have received encouragement, a sense of belonging and precious self-respect that comes with learning new skills and being employed as working members of a useful and productive enterprise. A great many handicapped individuals have gone on from Goodwill training to take positions in competitive industry. At this time, when the cost of welfare threatens to bankrupt a good percentage of our state treasuries and contributes heavily to multibillion dollar deficits at the federal level, we may be thankful that such an organization as Goodwill Industries exists and carries on its fine work completely independent of taxpayer support. A great many of those people now productively employed in the Goodwill program would otherwise be dependent upon some form of government dole or other assistance.

The week of May 7-13, 1972 is a good time to remember that Goodwill Industries deserves the respect and support of each one of us and that it lives by the donation of repairable items. Call your nearest Goodwill Industries office. Remember, what you can no longer use today could help give someone else a new start in life tomorrow.

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When in doubt about the water anywhere you travel, boil it a cup at a time for at least five minutes. This precaution may prevent a stomachache that could spoil the rest of your trip.

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LETTER TO THE
W-I-N-D EDITOR

A letter writer to the Wall Street Journal is puzzled by a new expression being used by many reporters and people in government "wind down," meaning to bring to a conclusion, to end, to finish, etc.

He is puzzled because there is already a phrase in the dictionary — "wind up" — with virtually the same meanings: to end, to finish, to arrive at a place, situation or condition as the result of a course of action.

The writer suggests that some of the representatives in government and the news media can't tell up from down.

This is probably true. Nevertheless, there is a subtle but distinct difference between "wind up" and "wind down."

The latter came into use in connection with the Vietnam war. It may, in fact, have been coined by President Nixon or one of his writers. The phrase suggests the running down of a clock, the untensioning of a spring, the gradual weakening of something formerly strong.

Used to describe the way the Vietnam war is ending, the phrase is entirely apt. Not only has the war's moral questions left many people feeling like "clockwork oranges," but the fighting is allowed to more or less peter out, to go away by itself (in the minds of voters, anyway).

"Wind up," on the other hand, has connotations of positive action. To "wind up" the Vietnam war would necessitate vigorous, purposeful steps like the Allies took to wind up World War II in 1944-45.

You can't hardly find that kind of war any more.

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Surplus Property. In Santa Monica, Calif., after Mrs. Shirley LaHeist opened a letter addressed to her missing husband and found in it a bill for a $16 wedding ring, cops investigated, arrested Roland LeHeist for bigamy.

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"Nationalization (of the railroads in the U. S.) would be a blow to the taxpayer, to business dependent upon our common carrier system, to the common carriers, to labor and to our basic free enterprise system. It would not solve the railroad problem, but only transfer responsibility for it." -- Mr. Benjamin F. Biaggini, president of the Southern Pacific Transportation Company.

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OF MORALS AND
MEDICINE

Should suicide laws be repealed? Mercy killing be removed from statutes prohibiting homicide? Are we prepared to take affirmative steps toward reducing the number of genetically defective individuals and hopefully eliminate some genetically transmitted conditions?

These are a few of the questions posed in a recent editorial in the Journal of the American Medical Assn. The Judicial Council of that organization has decided to provide leadership in seeking solutions to such urgent and troubling ethical, social and legal dilemmas which have, ironically, resulted from the extraordinary advances in medicine and biology in recent years.

The AMA has named a group of eminent consultants to their advisory committee. To be focused on are six major topics of concern: abortion, technology of reproduction, behavior control, genetic engineering, human experimentation and euthanasia.

"These are not questions of medical ethics to be answered solely or exclusively by physicians. They are ethical issues of society ... Physicians advise, offering the benefit of their expertise, their knowledge, competence and experience."

But even with the best of talent and efforts it is not likely as the journal's editorial admits, that clear-cut answers will be found to these ethical issues.

If, however, the AMA and its committees can organize and effectively transmit information to the public, they will have performed a considerable service in clarifying the issues in these areas that daily gain in significance.

"Can't You See We're Busy?"

TOMORROW
MAY 7 — SUNDAY

CHILDRENS SPRING BOOK FESTIVAL. May 7. Sponsor: Book World, 342 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10017.

HUMANE SUNDAY. May 7. Purpose: "To focus public attention on problems of child abuse and neglect, and the prevention of cruelty to animals." Sponsor: The American Humane Assn., Box 1266, Denver, CO 80201.

MOTHER-IN-LAW DAY. May 7. Purpose: "To honor your mother-in-law who is the butt of jokes." Sponsor American Museum of Comedy, Bill Treadwell, Exec. Dir., Hazelton Circle, Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510.

NATIONAL BE KIND TO ANIMALS WEEK. May 7-13. Purpose: "Promotion of animal welfare and to acquaint the public with the wide scope of public services offered by more than 1,000 animal protective agencies." Sponsor: The American Humane Assn., Box 1266, Denver, CO 80201.

NATIONAL FAMILY WEEK. May 7-14. Church observance.

NATIONAL GOODWILL WEEK. May 7-13. Purpose: "To foster understanding and gain public support for the Goodwill Industries program for rehabilitating handicapped people." Sponsor: Goodwill Industries of America, Inc., Matthew Warren, P. R. Dir., 9200 Wisconsin Ave., Washington, DC 20014.

NATIONAL HOSPITAL ... "To focus attention on the work that hospitals are performing in providing high quality health care." Sponsor: American Hospital Assn., Millard E. Krebs, Dir. of Public Info., 840 N. Lake Shore Dr., Chicago, IL 60611.

NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK. May 7-14. Theme: "Music creates new horizons." Sponsor: Natl. Federation of Music Clubs, 600 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL 60605. Info. from: Mrs. Elmer J. Einum, Natl. Chairman, 721 N. Main St., Rice Lake, WI 54868.

ROGATION SUNDAY. May 7.

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MAY 8 — MONDAY

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY. May 8, NC, SC.

END OF 2ND WORLD WAR IN EUROPE. May 8.

HARRY S. TRUMAN'S BIRTHDAY. May 8. 33rd President of the U. S. born this day in 1884.

NATIONAL INSECTOCUTOR WEEK. May 8-14. Purpose: "To promote a wider use of insectocutors for the control of flying insects by means of electricity." Sponsor: Natl. Assn. of Insect Electrocutor Manufacturers, Barbara Ann Lyon, Secy., Pleasant Valley, NY 12569.

NATIONAL SALVATION ARMY WEEK. May 8-14. Purpose: "To extend public knowledge of the religious and social welfare ministry of the Salvation Army." Sponsor: The Salvation Army, Ralph E. Chamberlain, Dir., Natl. Info. Service, 120 W. 14th St., New York, NY 10011.

PACING THE BOUNDS. May 8, Liestal, Switzerland. "Citizens set off at 8 a.m., and ... of drums and firing of pistols and muskets." Occasion for fetes.

S.O.S. - DAY. SURVIVAL OF SURSERY). May 8. Purpose: "In recognition of the beautiful, brave, champions of the human race who were bold enough to undergo surgery and survived." Sponsor: S.O.S. International Society, A. J. Anthony, Dir., 3526 N. Oketo Ave., Chicago IL 60634.

WORLD RED CROSS DAY. May 8. Purpose: "To honor Henri Dunant, originator of the Red Cross idea and as an international humanitairan movement." Sponsor: American Natl. Red Cross, 17th & D St., N.W., Washington, DC 20006.

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Help wanted ad in the San Francisco Examiner and Chronicle: "Topless Dancers — must have 2 yrs of college. Prefer Eng. major or Humanities."

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MISTAKEN IDENTITY

The policeman was walking his beat when he saw two men fighting and a little boy standing to one side crying, "Daddy, Daddy!"

The officer pulled the two men apart and, turning to the boy, asked, "Which one is your father, lad?"

"I don't know," the boy said, rubbing the tears away. "That's what they are fighting about!"

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KEEP REALITY IN MIND

A short item from the Houston, Texas, Tribune carries a lot of common sense. It says, "Cleaning up the environment is an excellent cause... but the more militant environmentalists can do more harm than good by appealing to people's emotions without possessing the knowledge to back up their zeal. Thus we see the same people denouncing the electric power companies for polluting the air by using fossil fuels in their generating stations, then screaming to high heaven about the shortages of electric power which occur in their areas at times of peak loads. Similarly, everybody's against over-use of DDT; everybody's concerned over DDT build-up in the bodies of people, mammals, birds and fish where this occurs. But apparently, it means nothing to the overzealous crusaders that when the use of DDT was banned in Ceylon, a million cases of malaria resulted."

It took countless thousands of years for man to achieve the intellectual capacity to produce the longevity and comforts of modern life. Now, there are those who wish to wipe out both in a single stroke -- if they personally can be excluded from the ensuing cataclysm.

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Beggar: "Will you give me a dime, sir?"

Man, after fumbling in his pocket: "I'm sorry, but I haven't any change with me. I'll give it to you when I come by again."

Beggar: "Well -- all right, but you'd be surprised at the money I lose giving credit away."

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Wife: "I had to marry you to find out how stupid you were".

Husband: "You should have known that when I asked you to marry me."

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HIGH FREQUENCY WELD
SPEEDS PRODUCTION

Auto frame members, exhaust pipe tubing and singlewall mufflers are being produced more economically through the use of a new high-frequency, finite-length welding process.

The frames are being manufactured by Budd Automotive Co. of Canada Ltd., in Kitchener, Ont., and Philadelphia, Penna., from less costly steel and with less waste.

The midwest plant of a major auto producer is also using the process, developed by AMF Thermatool, for mufflers and exhaust pipe. The automaker's senior welding engineer says that this method produces dual-wall "laminated" tubing in a single pass.

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The boys of the American Legion Post were discussing the impending marriage of a buddy. "That's an accomplished girl Ben is going to marry," observed one of the men. "She can swim, ride, dance, drive a car and pilot a plane; a real all-around girl."

"They should get along fine," replied another.

"You know Ben is a good cook."

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H.L. Hunt

EXCESSIVE U.S.
CASUALTIES

Asian combat troops should fight Asian wars. President Chiang Kai-shek asked General A. C. Wedemeyer, U.S. Army (Ret.), to assist in getting the consent of the United States to add 250,000 of Chiang's veteran troops into turning back the communist invasion of South Vietnam. General Wedemeyer knew of the capability of the Nationalist Chinese forces, numbering 650,000 American-trained and equipped men, including ground, air and a limited naval force. They would be acclimated to the terrain and weather of Southeast Asia.

Chinag's combat veterans of the Chinese civil war might not have been strong enough to invade Red China but they could have been very effectively used in Indochina before they got too old. Although South Korea was not a member of SEATO, that gallant anti-communist nation maintained a 40,000-man army in South Vietnam, where they proved to be the best acclimated and most feared troops fighting the communists.

If Chiang's offer had been accepted by the U.S., we would have quickly had 290,000 tough Asian troops fighting alongside the South Vietnamese and Americans. As late as 1965 we had suffered only 300 killed in action and had committed only 25,000 troops.

The 290,000 Chinese and Koreans could have won the war in 1962 or 63, preventing the killing of 50,000 U.S. troops and our slow build-up to 600,000 men, which has divided our country and strengthened the communists. We should remember that 80% of the munitions which killed our thousands of troops since 1961 were supplied by the Soviets. The communists are not "mellowing" or seeking peace. HLH.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Rapes, Muggings, Knifings: Youth Street 'Fighting Gangs' Terrorize Vast School Systems

NEW YORK – Here is the nation's most terror- ridden blackboard jungle. Over its concrete paths roam several hundred "fighting youth gangs," a phrase used by the police to contrast the bands with the "good guy" type who do try to rid their macabre, rotting streets of marauders, muggers and pushers.

In this jungle, in this vast school system, the world' most gargantuan, principals, teachers and school youngsters of all races, colors and creeds are terrorized by invaders from these gangs of all races, colors and creeds.

As teachers try daringly to impart learning and youngsters reach eagerly for it, there is an atmosphere of sickening fear in corridors and classrooms wafting like the odor of anesthesia in hospital hallways.

Leaders of the world's biggest local union, the 72,000 - member United Federation of Teachers (UFT- AFL-CIO) report attempted gang rapes on teachers and young girl students alike; robbery of teachers at knife point; instructors locking themselves in classrooms; teachers thrown downstairs; their colleagues marked with the black- and-blue evidence of pummeling, and injuries which keep them out of the schools for weeks, even months.

The buildings are not the sites of youth gang wars. But the kids peel off, they wear their "colors" inside, they terrorize – and they are, according to the authorities, some 20,000 strong.

This is the nation's worst, says American Federation of Teachers (AFT) president Dave Selden. Lanky Al Shanker, beleaguered UFT- Local 2 president, says the terror is unbelievable and the Board of Education's insouciance is much to blame.

"The amount of violence in these schools has been increasing horrendously due to official laxity," says Shanker. "Just the other day a young student was raped."

His union reported, for example, the robbing at knifepoint of two young female teachers on Friday, April 20, at 12:30 p.m. at More Effective School 110. The women were threatened by the young, knife- wielding invader. The teacher was forced to surrender jewelry, money, watches, engagement rings, and other valuables including money, of course. The women were also forced to disrobe partially so they could not pursue the stickup youth

Another female teacher was severely attacked in P.S. 11 by a student last November. The instructor hasn't been able to work since. Another was slugged in P.S. 15 from behind – injuring her head and neck. She, too, has not been able to continue teaching.

There are hundreds of such "incidents" I'm told. They're not reported. They're now so "commonplace" and there is such fear of reprisals that they are not put on the record. But they destroy the atmosphere of learning, says Paul Balser, president of the High School Principals Association.

"We feel that there is more of need to restore the confidence of parents and children in the safety of the schools," says Balser judiciously. But he is helpless to stop the invasions and principals here are retiring at a "massive rate."

As a result of the terror, the school collective bargaining negotiations have some unique twists. In the past the Board of Education agreed to provide legal assistance to its teachers. Yet it hired just one attorney. Teachers calling for his legal aid get a form letter saying help will come as soon as possible. It doesn't come.

How can it with the system having 1.1 million students in 960 schools? Of course, many of these schools are "comparatively safe," which means they're disrupted only by the ringing of fire gongs (creating chaos) or by daily extortions of lunch money, or simple beatings.

But to fight the terror, the local now is asking for a full-time attorney for each school district. Thus if a teacher is slugged and she accuses a "child," and the latter rushes in an American Civil Liberties Union attorney who then lodges countercharges against the instructor who then is booked by the police while the youngster goes free since he is under-age, there will be legal help.

Also Shanker is asking for the assignment of one school security guard for every 1,000 high school students. All this costs taxpayers' money. And this hits the school system, the youngsters, as well as the teachers. This is the pattern that may big cities. There's no much education in this jungle. And the students suffer most.

Let this nation of many races, colors and creeds take heed. Weed these jungles. Unless we care little about generations of the future.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — For decades, international heroin gangs have sent their deadly wares from Marseilles' back-alley laboratories directly to Mafia distributors in New York City.

But crackdowns have now made this direct trade dangerous for the Corsican criminals in France and their Cosa Nostra counterparts in the New York City area.

Increasingly, they are shipping the addictive white powder through Latin America and the Caribbean, where bribery, bootlegging and bucaneering have been respected pursuits since the days of Blackbeard, Henry Morgan and Captain Kidd.

The Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), which only lately has gotten into dope counterspying, has summarized the problem in a 20-page secret report circulated to a few federal agencies.

Area by area, here is the CIA's picture of this new dope circuit:

Central America -- Mexico produces "15 to 20 per cent (perhaps up to 25 per cent) of all heroin used in the United States ... most notorious of the illicit drug centers in Mexico is Culiacan, capital of the state of Sinaloa.

"It has been called the 'Heroin Capital of Mexico.' Many of the well- to-do townspeople, including those now engaged in legitimate businesses, are said to have gotten their start dealing in narcotics."

The home-grown Mexican heroin is sent to San Diego, Los Angeles, Seattle, Denver, Phoenix, Albuquerque, Houston, Fort Worth and Dallas.

MEXICAN 'FIXES'

Our own investigation has turned up a government - protected dope "shooting parlor" in Juarez, Mexico. Young American addicts from El Paso, some on military drug withdrawal programs, simply cross into Mexico to get a "fix."

Panama, whose foreign minister Juan Tack was recently exposed by us as sanctioning dope traffic, is "one of the great contraband centers of the world," reports the CIA. Heroin pours in from Lima and Santiago, cocaine from Guayaquil and Quito, in Ecuador, and from Colombia. European and Asian dope exporters also use Panama as a transshipment point.

Costa Rica opium crops have been discovered recently "in gardens, in a cemetery, and on the slopes of Irazu Volcano." There are unconfirmed reports of clandestine labs.

The Carribbean -- Nicaragua may be a "transit point for heroin shipped north from South America via Panama to the United States," says the CIA.

Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands have heroin operations run by "Cuban exiles and Puerto Ricans in the United States (who) act as middle men ... while Argentinians, Chileans, Uruguayans, and nationals of other transshipment countries act as couriers."

Guadeloupe, Curacao, Aruba and Trinidad are also named by the CIA as "steppingstones" for shipment of heroin, cocaine, hashish and marijuana to the United States.

South America -- "Bigtime operators with international connections and innumerable small-scale smugglers called 'hormigas' (ants) cross the sievelike borders with impunity," alleges the CIA.

"The busy ports of Barranquilla, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Buenos Aires, Valparaiso, Antofagasta, Callao, Guayaquil, and Buenaventura act as funnels ... Smuggler planes, ranging from Piper Cubs to DC-3s, and even to four-engined Lockheed Constellations ... are used," says the secret CIA report.

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"Most of the drug traffic in South America involves marijuana, which is grown extensively in Colombia, Brazil, and Paraguay and coca leaves and cocaine produced in Bolivia, Peru, Chile and Ecuador.

But there is also some opium production in Columbia and Ecuador.

"An Italian shipping line is currently involved in smuggling heroin from Marseilles, France, to Valparaiso, Chile, via Panama," says the CIA, without naming the shipping line.

"In smuggling by air ... couriers are low-raking members of the smuggling ring with long police records as pickpockets, petty thieves, or prostitutes and are regarded as expendable." The air smuggling would by impossible without "the complicity of corrupt officials," points out the CIA.

Paraguay, as we reported earlier, is a key transshipment center, but there are also widespread narcotics operations in Brazil, Argentina and in Chile whose capital of Santiago supports "one of the biggest narcotics rings on the continent."

It has branch offices "in New York, Miami, Colon, London, Georgetown, Manaus, Sao Paulo, Buenos Aires and elsewhere."

Concludes the CIA: "The flow of heroin from European laboratories through Latin America to the United States is increasing." It results in part from "the integration of heroin traffic with well-established Latin American smuggling operations ..."

Looking Back

Crowder Farmer Found Dead In Field

50 years ago
May 6, 1922

Chaffee - Mrs. Jennie Ahrens arrived at Chaffee Saturday for a brief visit with friends

Clyde King of Eldorado, Ill., who has been visiting relatives in Sikeston for the past month, returned to his home Sunday.

McMullin - The Rev. Kennar is holding a revival meeting at Vanduser this week.

News reached Sikeston Monday that James Peter Marshall, a well known farmer of the Crowder vicinity had been found dead in a field where he had been plowing.

40 years ago
May 6, 1932

Morley - Pansy Cruse of Vanduser spent the weekend with Mary Lou Ford.

Word was received here Monday of the tragic death of Chester L Arthur, 42, of Springfield, father of Argel Arthur of this city and a cousin to E. E. Arthur, also of this city, which occurred in a Springfield hotel early that morning. He was once a resident of Sikeston, having lived here some 15 years ago.

Route 1 – Mrs. B. Beavers was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Kenser.

New Madrid - Little Billy Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howsy Hampton, has returned from the St. Mary's Infirmary Hospital, here he was taken for treatment of a poison the child had taken. The child was in a serious condition, but is improving nicely now.

30 years ago
May 6, 1942

Charles Hunt, 55-year-old farmer who had been working on the Warren York property, six miles northeast of here, died at St. Francis Hospital Wednesday from a stomach ailment.

Dr. H. M. Kendig will leave next Wednesday for Rochester, N. Y., where he will take a six-weeks post-graduate course in surgery in the Mayo Clinic.

Morley - A daughter was born April 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Daughtery. She has been named Karen Rose. Before her marriage Mrs. Daugherty was Miss Melba Rose.

Vanduser - Roy V. Ellise, former Sikeston superintendent of schools and manager of the Delmo Group Labor home colony near Morehouse, will deliver the commencement exercises to members of the senior class here this Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barton were hosts at a buffet supper at their home on North Ranney Sunday complimenting Mrs. E.P. Coleman, jr., on her birth anniversary.

Miss Lorene Nere, who since 1937 has been clerk-operator at the Western Union office here, left Saturday for Kirksville, where she will be manager of the office. Taking her places here was Miss Patsy Amend of Rockyford, Colo.

20 years ago
May 6, 1952

The Cape Girardeau Country Club golf team won its second victory in the Northern division of the Southeast Missouri Round Robin Tournament Sunday with a 39 to 23 victory over the Sikeston Club at the Country Club course at Cape. Medalist for the 18 holes was Hester Alexander of Sikeston with 68 strokes or four under par.

The Sikeston High Bulldogs booted one right into the laps of the Cape Central Tigers at Cape yesterday, 11-4,

Tickets are now on sale for the forthcoming production of the Sikeston High School senior play, "The Thursday Murders." This mystery comedy in three acts will be presented May 16 at the high school auditorium. Members of the cast include: Jim Keasler, Larry Yeargain, Barbara Boyce, Pat Hazel, Ronald Dumay, John Moll, Peggy Knupp, Ann Gentry, Virginia Hambrick, Jerry Lee, Bill Stearns, Juanita Matthews, Peggy Swain, Willadean Richards and Carolyn Jackson.

Mrs. Sam Bains, 48, mother of a local man and sister of three other Sikestonians was fatally injured in a freak accident in West Memphis, Ark., yesterday. According to Miss Maxine Husher of Sikeston, a niece of Mrs. Bains, she had gone to her mailbox which was located alongside a West Memphis highway. While she was there a truck struck a car onthe highway, knocking the car into Mrs. Bains; Survivors include a son, Harold Swanagon of Sikeston and three sisters, Mrs. John Husher, Mrs. Glen Keller, and Mrs. Hildreth Dill of Sikeston.

JAMES BURNEY and Richard McDougal put the finishing touches on a mobile home on display at the Kingsway Plaza Mall through Sunday. This trailer has storm windows and tie-straps.

The Prayer *from* *The Upper Room*

Only be sure that you act on the message and do not merely listen; for that would be to mislead yourselves. (James 1:22, NEB)

PRAYER: Heavelnly Father, help me to diligently search my heart so that my actions will be in accord with Your Word. For Jesus' sake. Amen.

We're quicker on the draw at the bank than any Old West badman ever was.

Vogel Quits As District GOP Chairman

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Cape Girardeau County and the 10th Congressional District have lost their Republican chairman. Raymond H. Vogel, who has held both posts for almost four years announced his resignation from the positions Wednesday.

Vogel said he is resigning from the positions because his candidacy for circuit court judge would not allow him enough time to fulfill his other duties.

Also seeking the GOP nomination for the office of Circuit Court judge is John P. Bradshaw, Cape Girardeau. Stanley A. Grimm, is Democratic candidate for the post.

A meeting of the Cape County Republican Committee has been called for Saturday at 2 p.m. in the circuit court room in the Jackson Courthouse.

Vogel said a temporary chairman will be elected at the meeting and vacancies in the positions of committeemen and committeewomen would be filled.

He added that after the primary in August the new committeemen and committeewomen will select a new chairman.

Vogel was first elected GOP chairman in 1968 and as chairman became a member of the 10th District GOP Committee of which he was also elected chairman. He was reelected to the posts in 1970.

Vogel has long been active in politics, but had never served on the GOP Committee until his election to the post in 1968.

He filed for circuit court judge in April. He has served as a state representative and Cape County prosecuting attorney.

Seniors Will Hear Roney

PORTAGEVILLE — Dr. Robert K. Roney, associate professor and director of the University of Tennessee in Memphis State University graduate center will give the 54th annual commencement address to 87 seniors May 17 in the high school gymnasium.

Dr. Roney is a graduate of Union City High School, Union City, Tennessee. He received a bachelor's degree from Duke University, a master of arts degree from Memphis State University and an educational doctor's degree from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

What's The Law?

Old Body Building Pictures Ruled Out

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Thin and scrawny, Tom looked like he had just completed a successful hunger strike. Consequently, he signed up for a course at Mike's Body-Building Emporium, where the first activity was to take pictures of Tom in a slouched position and wearing baggy shorts. The last activity, two years later, was also to take pictures of him. This time, however, he was posed in an up-right position, with muscles flexed and wearing tight-fitting swim trunks.

Satisfied with the course, Tom, as per request, readily gave Mike permission to use the "Before" and "After" pictures in advertising and promoting Mike's body-builder course. Mike, however, didn't use the pictures until 10 years later. And when Tom saw them in a local newspaper, he blew his stack and sued Mike for damages.

"He had no right to publish those pictures at this date," complained Tom in court. "They've caused me all kinds of embarrassment. I'm now 34 years old and hold a responsible executive position. Since those pictures were printed, my subordinates, behind my back, have been calling me "Tarzan" and, less flattering,' 'Muscle Head."

"I had no intention of causing Tom any embarrassment," was Mike's answer. "I merely found the pictures tucked away in the back of a drawer and decided to use them. And since the authorization Tom gave me contained no time limit, I had a right

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make Mike pay for Tom's embarrassment?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that Tom had a right to assume that the pictures would be used shortly after being taken. For Mike to have used them 10 years later, concluded the judge, required new permission since what may seem proper to a 24-year-old man may not seem proper to a 34-year - old man. (Based upon a 1961 Louisiana Supreme Court Decision)

Ten Seniors Will Be CommencementSpeakers

Robert Reynolds, Wanda Gardner,Jammie Beaird, and Sheila Lathum will be the featured speakers at the annual commencement exercises Monday, May 29.

Senior class president John Sargent will preside and introduce the speakers for the exercises.

Merry Gay Evans will give the invocation and Maida Harrington will give the benediction. Superintendent Sam Harbin will be introduced by Carl Schorle.

Principal Roger Sherman will be introduced by Julia Thompson. President of the Board of Education Phil Barkett will be introduced by Terri Mitchell.

Thirteen seniors tried out for speaker positions.

Theme for the commencement exercises has not been announced, but will be disclosed in the next edition of the Barker.

Concert choirs VI and VII, directed by Gordon Beaver, will sing various selections during the baccalaureate services Sunday evening and at commencement exercises Monday evening.

Senior inner choir will also sing various selections during the commencement exercises.

Congratulations

According to E. R. Dowling, electronics instructor, his graduating class of students have attained an outstanding attendance record, having a class average of 96 per cent for a given time of 9444 hours over a two-year period of instruction.

Mr. Dowling feels this may be a new record attendance percentage and it also says something for a student's interest in the vocational area.

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If a single man achieves the highest kind of love, it will be sufficient to neutralize the hate of millions.

Vocal Students Will Present Concert Sunday

Sikeston high school concert choirs, directed by Gordon Beaver, will present their annual pop concert this Sunday in the high school cafetorium at 2:30 o'clock.

The pop concert will be opened by Choir VI. The group will perform "Peaceful River," and "People" from the musical "Funny Girl."

Senior Mike Limbaugh will sing "Caroline" while he accompanies himself on the guitar. Chair VI will follow with "Over the Rainbow" from "The Wizard of Oz." Seniors Mike Grigery and Darrell Barksdale will sing the tenor solo on the concluding number by Choir VI, "Sunshine in My Soul." Laretha Harris and Marsha Entrekin are accompanists for this group.

Moderne Chorale will sing "As Long As He Needs Me" from the musical "Oliver." The two following numbers will be "Shoo Fly Pie," and "Who Can I Turn To" from "The Roar of the Greasepaint." Laretha Harris is the accompanist for Moderne Chorale.

Southeast Missouri All-District Choir will perform two numbers. They will sing "An Answer For Our Time" as Chuck Hanna accompanies them on the guitar. The other number by this group will be "Swing Chariot." Bonnie Harris is the accompanist for this group.

Concert Choir VII will follow with "Try To Remember" from "The Fantasticks."

"Tonight" from "West Side Story" will follow. Darrell Barksdale will sing "Heart of Gold" as he accompanies himself on the guitar.

Senior Larry Johnson will sing the tenor solo on "In Dat Great Gittin' Up Morning." The concert will be concluded with Choir VII singing "Aquarius." Bonnie Harris and Melodie Powell are accompanists for this choir.

CORRECTION

First year for seniors to present their commencement program in Sikeston high school was May of 1957. The four principal addresses were given by Margaret Coates, Bing Limbaugh, Kay Tetley, and Tony Heckemeyer.

Barker printed last week that the first year was 1960.

the bulldog barker

SHS Offers Summer Class Of Typewriting

Sikeston high school is offering a course in personal typewriting for one- half credit for the summer session.

Class will start June 5 and close July 21, and it will meet daily from 9 to 12 o'clock. A minumum of 20 students at a cost of $30 each is required before the class will be offered.

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Students taking this course will not need to take typing during the regular school term.

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It also takes two to make up after a quarrel.

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He who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers lowe.

The door to the human heart can be opwned only from the inside.

The light of freindship is like the light of phosphours, seen when all around is dark.

A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband, while a man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

Some cause happiness wherever they go; others whenever they go.

To be without some of the things you want is an indispensable part of happiness.

Water which is distant is no good for a fire which is near.

One of the mysteries of life is how the boy who wasn't good enough to marry the daughter can be the father of the smartest grandchild in the world.

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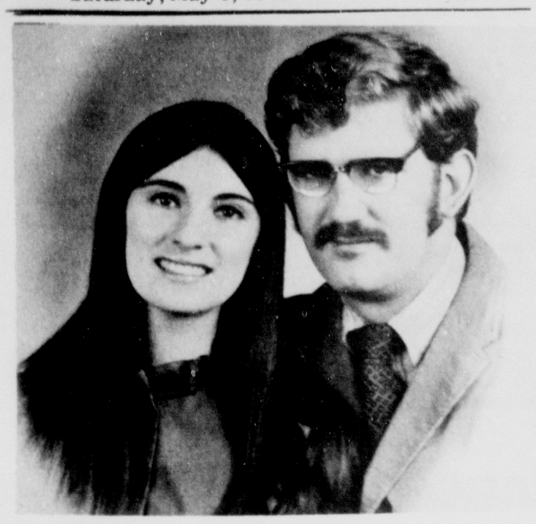

CHERYL GIVENS and David Stone will exchange wedding vows June 6 in Logan, Utah.

Southerland New Madrid -Stone

DEXTER — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Southerland announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Kaye Givens, to David Ray Stone III, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Stone II of Logan, Utah.

Miss Givens is a 1966 graduate of Poplar Bluff High School. She has worked for Barnes hospital in St. Louis as a technician and evening supervisor of the heart station. She has also worked for St. Louis Childrens hospital in inhalation therapy.

Stone graduated from Logan high school in 1963 and attended Utah State College. He served a two-year mission for the Mormon church in southwest Arizona with the Hopi and Apache Indians.

He completed college at Utah State and is a dental student at Washington University in St. Louis. He will graduate May 28.

Wedding vows will be exchanged June 6 at Logan Temple in Logan, Utah.

Community Calendar

MONDAY
Rotary Club meets 6:15 p.m. Monday at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, highway 61.

MONDAY
Kiwanis Club meets 6:30 p.m. Monday at Gardner's Cafe at Cross Truck Stop, highway 61 north.

MONDAY
Masonic Lodge meets 8 p.m. Monday at the Masonic temple.

MONDAY
A one-act operetta "The Atomic Bookshop" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the New Madrid high school gymnasium by the junior high students directed by Miss Eva Horton. Cary Phillips is producer and Horrell Townsend, accompanist. No admission will be charged.

MONDAY
Annual clean-up, fix-up, paint-up week in New Madrid is Monday through Saturday. Trash placed in containers will be picked up by city employes, Jaycees and Kiwanis members. Glass containers, free of metal, may be delivered to Villa Shopping Center on Saturday. Free trash bags available at the bank, and wrought iron house numbers are being sold by the Chamber of Commerce. Pitch In-Clean Up.

MONDAY
Lilbourn Civic Improvement Club meets 7:30 p.m. Monday with Mrs. Myrtle Ice, hostess and Mrs. Betty Lloyd, co-hostess. Election of officers will be held and a report given on the Sophomore Pilgrimage.

MONDAY
New Madrid County Shirtsleeves meeting is Monday from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Howardville school.

TUESDAY
Chapter 293, Order of Eastern Star meets 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Masonic temple.

TUESDAY
Band concert by junior high, intermediate and beginner band students, directed by Bob Donze, is 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the New Madrid high school gymnasium. No. admission charged.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti supper for benefit of Jimmy Henderson fund, sponsored by United Methodist Youth Fellowship, is from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church dining room. Tickets available from UMYF members.

WEDNESDAY
Jaycees meet 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Jaycee building, 710 Riley Street.

WEDNESDAY
First United Methodist Men meet 8 p.m. Wednesday at the educational building.

THURSDAY
American Legion meets 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the veterans building, highway 61 north.

THURSDAY
New Madrid Woman's Club meets 2 p.m. Thursday with Mrs. Paula Rost. Installation of officers will be held.

THURSDAY
New Madrid high school concert band directed by Bob Donze will present a spring concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the high school gymnasium. No admission will be charged.

FRIDAY
Bootheel Squares weekly square dancing is 7 p.m. Friday at the New Madrid Community building.

Q—What does Palm Sunday commemorate?

A—Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. According to the Bible, Jesus rode into the city on an ass, and the people spread palm branches in His path.

Ann Landers

A Little Illegal Fun Causes A Lot Of Trouble

Dear Ann: A piece appeared in The Beth El Youth Teen Topics that might be of interest to your readers No one knows whether it was written by Rabbi M. H. Elovitz of Birmingham, Alabama, or some teen who asked that his identity not be revealed. The authorship is not important, but the message is.

The Man I Wanted To Be,
Or Too Bad I Got Busted

Man, it's a bad scene, a real bummer. Who wouldn've thought it could happen to me? I mean, like it was something cool to do. Just part of the scene. So some kids experiment. So what? Besides, it'll be legal in a few years anyway. Damn the establishment! You'd think the fuzz was born with sirens in their heads and "do-good" stamped on their bottoms. Hell, weren't they ever kids?

It could've been you. You just lucked out. Anyway, getting booked was really gross. All that fingerprinting jazz. I called my old man and was he ever ticked off. He had to hire a lawyer to get me out. He's got influence. I thought I'd get off with a reprimand, maybe grounded for a while and that would be the end of it. It wasn't.

They booked me and I've got a record. I was going to law school but now that's screwed up. Medical school won't accept me either when the time comes. Why should I suffer? Look at all the kids who do dope and never get a glove laid on 'em.

You should have seen my mon's face. Even all that makeup couldn't cover up her shame. You'd think I had committed a crime. It was weird. It's not like I didn't know it was illegal, it's just that everybody's doing it and I was the one who got nailed. Besides, I was holding it for a buddy — only took a couple of drags.

There must be some way to clean up this mess. I'm sure as hell not a criminal. I just got mixed up with a little illegal fun. Funny, somehow I don't think the Dean of Admissions will buy it. Oh well, I can always be a plumber or go into my dad's business. ON second thought — I wonder if my dad would hire me. — Origin Uncertain

Dear Friend: Maybe the origin is uncertain, but the message is clear. Thank you for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: People write to you about things that bother them. May I add my complaint, please?

Whenever I find myself at a place where women gather, the first thing that happens is, out comes the pictures from the purses. "This is my daughter and her four children." Or, "We have new pictures of our grandchildren. Here is Louise, next to Richard. The one in front is Lester. Doesn't he look like his father?"

It's bad enough when I know the family but when a stranger corners me with snapshots I could scream. Why would a person you've never seen before (and will probably never see again) show another stranger pictures of her family?

Before I leave on a cruise this fall, I'm going to take a picture of the dogs and cats in the neighborhood and carry them in self defense. When a woman hands me pictures of her grandchildren I'm going to hand her mine. Would this be wrong? --Pittsburgh Reader

Dear Pitt: Wrong? No. But don't be surprised if you get some compliments. People have shown me pictures of their pets with the same pride a parent has in his child and I've had to say, "How cute!"

Are your parents too strict? Hard to reach? Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How To Get More Freedom," could help you bridge the generation gap. Send fifty cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to this newspaper.

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Eva Buchanna, Dexter
JoAnn McGee, Dexter
Released:
Lillie Bolden, Gray Ridge
Cindy Whiteside, Doniphan
Thelma Williams, Bernie
Buddy Alsup, Morehouse

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted
Dora Mobley, Hayti
W. W. Ancell, Hayti
Jimmy Giles, Hayti
James Greenwave, Caruthersville
Betty Clayton, Wardell
Ivory Ellis, Bragg City
Released:
Betty Mitchell, Hayti
Alex Braswell, Hayti
Willis Motton, Hayti
Dennis Rushing, Caruthersville
Lillie Roberts, Caruthersville
Willard Julian, Bragg City
Steven Gray, Wardell
Oscar Taylor, Portageville
Leslie Lewis, Lilbourn
91 patients, three babies.

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:
Released:
Laura Howard, Howardville
Laura McCoy, Sikeston
Donna Mason, Dexter
Ricky Hendrix, New Madrid
Carolyn Campbell, Sikeston
Anna Corbin, Sikeston
Teresa Wright, Bertrand
Shannon Bowels, East Prairie
Lillian Miller, Sikeston
James Sexton, Sikeston
Jonie Lee Suggs, Matthews
Sharon Spence, Charleston
Beatrice Dempster, Sikeston
Joel Brown, East Prairie
Marie Russell, Sikeston
Robin Riley, Bertrand
Margaret Ernest, Sikeston
Clarence Bryan, Port Clinton Ohio
Sadie Dodge, East Prairie
Ethel Long, Sikeston
Hilda Davis, Sikeston
Bobbie Mitchell, East Prairie
Callie Dumas, Sikeston
Danny Griffen, Matthews
Ruby Hesselrode, Cairo, Ill.
Total patients discharged 25
Total patients admitted 20
Births 4

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT — 5-6-72

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	139	93	6	40
Pedlatrics	29	13	0	16
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: None

Emergency Dept.	
Accident emergencies	18
Medical emergencies	26
Others	31
Total seen in emergency room	75

School Menus

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Menus for the remaining days of school will not be issued in advance, since each school will be having a different selection.

BELL CITY

Monday
Hamburger on Bun
Whipped potatoes
Green Beans
Mustard/Pickles
Onion Slices
Cherry Pie
Milk

Tuesday
Pork Pattie/Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Cole Slaw
Peanut Butter Cookies
Corn Bread
Butter
Milk

Wednesday
Chicken and Dressing
Candied Yams
Tossed salad
Cranberry sauce
Fruited Gelatin
Bread
Butter
Milk

Thursday
Italian Spaghetti
Glazed Carrots
Tossed Salad
Applesauce
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

Friday
Fish Fillets
Baked Beans
Cole Slaw
Potato Chips
Peanut Butter Confection
Bread / Butter
Milk

MATTHEWS

Monday
½ pt milk
Ravioli
Tossed salad
Green beans
Hot rolls
Peach half
Bread
Butter

Tuesday
½ pt. milk
Hot dog
Sauerkraut
Creamed Potaotes
Applesauce- raisin cake
Bun
Butter

Wednesday
½ pt. milk
Fried chicken
Buttered corn
Spinach
Hot rolls
Pineapple slice
Butter

Thursday
½ pt milk
Salmon cakes
Tater tots
Cole slaw
Pink applesauce
Peanut butter
Bread

Friday
½ pt. milk
Pork pattie
Creamed potatoes
Peas and carrots
Hot rolls
Apple butter
Butter

SCOTT COUNTY R-V

Monday
Kraut and wieners
Beans
Buttered corn
Cornbread
Butter
Fruit
½ pt. milk

Tuesday
Barbecue pork on bun
Pork and Beans
Buttered potatoes
Cinnamon roll
½ pt. milk

Wednesday
Chicken and noodles
Slaw
Green peas
Peanutbutter crunch
Bread- butter
½ pt. milk

Thursday
Meatballs in sauce
Mashed potatoes
Green beans
Bread - butter
Pudding
½ pt. milk

Friday
Fish on bun
Baked potato
Tartar sauce or catsup
Mixed vegetables
Jello
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Watkins-Vickrey

JACKSON — Twin candelabra entwined with ivy and arrangements of white chrysanthemums, pink snapdragons and baby's breath appointed the altar at the First Baptist Church April 14 when Miss Judy Kay Vickrey and Terrence Leigh Watkins exchanged wedding vows.

The evening double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Eugene Vickrey of Houston, Tex., uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. W. Harry Hunt. Mrs. Ray Schweain, organist, accompanied the soloist, Tom N. Boudinot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Vickrey of Jackson are parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leigh Watkins of Sikeston are the bridgroom's parents.

Wearing a gown of white bridal silk, the bride was given in marriage by her father. The gown was designed with an empire bodice covered with Chantilly lace and long sleeves, overlaid with a scalloped flounce of Chanti-lace. Satin ribbon encircled the waistline, and scalloped lace was used on the back of the skirt, which flowed into a cathedral-length train. Her short bouffant veil of English illusion flowed from a queen's headpiece of Chanti-lace, and she held a nosegay of white chrysanthemums and pink roses.

Mrs. Ann Raymond was matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Dave Meyr of Cape Girardeau, and Miss Jane Vickrey, sister of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Miss Susan Vickrey and Miss Allison Watkins, sisters of the bride and bridegroom, respectively.

Mrs. Raymond was attired in a Victorian gown of orchid voile with an empire bodice and slightly full skirt. The bodice was trimmed with tiny tucks and shirred scalloped lace with a satin ribbon accenting the waist. The other attendants wore identical gowns of pink voile. White wide-brimmed hats with matching ribbon were worn by all attendants, and each carried a nosegay of pink rosebuds and chrysanthemums.

Gina Vickrey, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Vickrey, was flower girl, and ringbearer was David West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex West of Cape Girardeau.

Ted Watkins, the bridegrooms brother, was best man, and groomsmen were Rex West, Lennie Deutschmann, St. Louis, and Eddie Felker, Sikeston. Ushers were Eddie Cheek and Tim Watkins, another brother of the bridegroom, both of Sikeston. Candlelighters were cousins of the bride, Rob and Jim Litzelfelner.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church's dining hall. Serving were Mrs. James Kinder, St. Louis; Mrs. Max Watkins, Cape Girardeau, and Miss Wendy Litzelfelner, Jackson. Miss Patti Litzelfelner was at the guest book.

Mrs. Watkins is a graduate of Jackson high school and attended Office Training School at Cape Girardeau where she is employed by the Bennett Paper Co. Watkins, a graduate of Sikeston high school, attended Meramec College in St. Louis. He is employed by Cape Volkswagen Inc.

After returning from a wedding trip to an undisclosed destination, the couple will live at 2554 Independence, Cape Girardeau.

Marsha Lynne Duke

Duke-Lynn

PADUCAH — Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Duke announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Marsha Lynne,to Michael Alan Lynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lynn, 906 Patricia Drive, Sikeston.

Miss Duek will be a 1972 graduate of Charleston high school and lives at 213 South Third, Charleston.

Lynn is a 1971 Sikeston high school graduate.

A June 10 wedding is planned at the North Acres General Baptist church in Sikeston.

New Babies

HUBBERT— Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hubbert of Sikeston are the parents of a daughter, Susan Leigh, born Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed six pounds, two ounces, and is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Hubbert is the former Rosemary Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Woods of Sikeston. Hubbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbert of Morley and is employed by Potlatch Forests Inc.

MORTON — Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morton of Matthews are parents of a daughter, Tina Fay, born April 26 at 7:25 p.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces.

Mrs. Morton is the former Janie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson of Matthews. Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Morton of Kewanee, is a farmer.

Enrollment Roundup Next Week At Oran

ORAN — Parents having children, who will enter kindergarten or the first grade in the public schools next fall, may enroll their children, Tuesday or Wednesday, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Children must be five before Oct. 1 to enroll in kindergarten and six before the same date to enroll in the first grade.

Parents should bring an official birth certificate and a record of immunizations. It is not necessary to bring the child.

Senior G.S. Camp Out

Senior Scouts in the Cotton Boll Girl Scout Council attended a round-up at Big Springs State Park last weekend. The 134 Senior Scouts pitched tents and cooked over open fires.

Saturday night there was a graduation ceremony, which recognized the graduating Senior Scouts in the Cotton Boll Area.

Sunday morning a church service was provided by the Scouts.

Two Sikeston troops attended. They were troop 201, whose leaders are Mrs. Ned Tanner and Mrs. James Hodges; and troop 13 whose leaders are Mrs. Benny Walker and Mrs. Joe Dye.

Meetings & Things

MONDAY
Welcome Wagon will meet at Heritage House at 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY
Okeechobee District Boy Scout round table commissioners meeting at 7:30 p.m. at First Methodist church. The program will be crafts.

TUESDAY
Chapter JU of PEO will meet at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. Ray Clinton, 1025 North Kingshighway.

TUESDAY
The closing party of Chapter HB of PEO will be at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Alice Huff.

MONDAY
The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. for installation of officers at Heritage House.

Soroptomist Club Elects Officers

DEXTER — The Stoddard County Soroptimist Club met Monday with Mrs. Elinar Carlsen to elect officers. New officers will be Virginia O'Daniell, president, who succeeds Mrs. John Deem; Delores Parmenter, vice president, Leraun Baughn, recording secretary, Maxine Clodfelter, corresponding secretary, and Ruth Edwards, treasurer.

Mrs. Josie Vernon introduced Joe Welborn of Bloomfield, who spoke on prayer in the public schools.

A business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Deem. A new member, Mrs. Betty Richmond, was welcomed into the club.

Q—How long is the term of office of the secretary general of the United Nations?

A—Normally five years.

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Bulldogs Rally For 8-7 Win

CHARLESTON -- The Sikeston Bulldogs scored three runs in the seventh inning to down Coach Lucian Black's Bluejays 8-7 Friday in baseball.

Sophomore Richard Blankenship relieved John Leible and picked up the win for the Bulldogs. Sikeston is now 7-2 for the season.

The game was a free hitting affair with Charleston collecting seven safeties including home runs by Alvin Pierce and Jack Criggs. The Bulldogs banged out 10 hits with first baseman Jim Saulter slamming a home run. Bob McClendon started on the mound for the Bluejays but gave over to Alvin Pierce, who was nicked for the winning run and the loss.

The Bulldogs jumped out in front in the first with one run but Leible was unable to hold the slugging Charleston nine and gave up three runs in the frame.

Sikeston rallied again in the third inning to push four runs across the plate to take a 5-3 lead. The Bulldog's pitching failed again. The Bluejays came back in the fourth to score two to take the lead again, 5-4.

Charleston added another run in the fifth and took a 7-5 lead in the sixth by scoring another run.

The Bulldogs came to bat in the seventh with their backs to the wall started a rally, which ended with three runs crossing the plate and took an 8-7 lead. Blankenship held the Bluejays scoreless in the seventh to win.

John Leible and Rick Dyer slapped doubles for the Bulldogs and Mitchell Walker and Jim Saulters had two runs batted in for Sikeston.

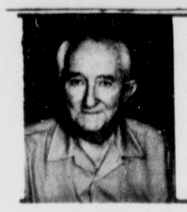
The box score:

SIKESTON (8)

Player	AB	R	H
Colwick, cf	3	1	1
Leible, p	4	2	2
Eisenbach, ss	1	0	0
M. Walker, ss	3	1	2
Dyer, rf	4	0	1
Saulters, 1b	4	1	1
Puckett, 3b	4	0	2
Bob Walker, c	2	0	0
Nelson, ph	1	0	0
Shatzley, 2b	3	0	0
B. Blankenship, lf	2	0	0
Miller, ph	1	1	1
Blankenship, p	0	0	0
Totals	32	6	10

CHARLESTON (7)

Smoot, 2b	2	1	1
Quertermous, 1b	3	1	1
Pierce, cf-p	4	2	2
Delay, 3b	3	0	0
Medlock, c	4	0	0
McClendon, p	3	0	1
Ledbetter, ss	3	1	1
Griggs, rf	3	1	1
Cassell, lf	3	1	0
Totals	28	7	7



Golf Comments

By Riggs Wesley

SEMO Golf Association Secretary

Caruthersville 2 Mon Team Scramble
April 29-30
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This weekends tournaments are scheduled at Perryville, Kennett, Piggot, Ark., and Forest Park.

Garrard Stars

MATTHEWS -- The Parma Pirates came out on top, 21-10, in a free hitting baseball game Friday with Matthews.

Neither team showed much in the way of pitching.

Matthews banged out 12 hits against two Parma pitchers and Parma bombed two Matthews hurlers for 18 safeties including a home run by Mike Garrard, his fourth of the season, with two men on base.

Garrard also hit a triple in the first inning with the bases loaded. The game was filled with extra base hits. David Lape hit a triple with the bases full in the sixth. Bowley and Porter hit doubles for Matthews and Blackburn. Wagner socked two baggers for Parma.

Wendy Wagner was the winning pitcher, allowing five runs and seven hits in five innings. Larry Harwood took the loss.

Parma scored five runs in the first and six in the second. Matthews scored two in the fourth frame and Parma came back with three more in the fifth. Matthews continued to make an effort to get back in the game scoring three runs in the fifth to trail 14-5.

Parma was unstoppable. The Pirates broke loose for six more runs in the sixth. Matthews wasn't dead. The Pirates rallied for four more in the sixth and trailed 20-9 after six innings. Each team scored one run in the seventh for the final score.

Hill went four for four at the plate for Parma and Pawielski and Joseph had three hits apiece for the winners. Porter and Griffin got three hits apiece for Matthews.

The box score:

MATTHEWS (10)

Player	AB	R	H
Bewley, 2b	4	1	2
Polk, rf	1	0	0
Danny Hays, 3b	1	1	0
David Hays, ph	1	0	0
Danels, lf	2	0	0
Parker, lf	1	1	0
Hampton ph	0	1	0
Lape, c-cf	4	2	2
Waldron, rf-ss	4	1	1
Porter, ss-3b	4	2	3
Griffin, cf-p	5	1	3
Burns, c	4	0	1
Harwood, 1b-p=cf	4	0	0
Totals	35	10	12

PARMA (21)

Hill, cf-p	4	5	4
Pawielski, lf	5	4	3
Wagner, p-cf	4	3	2
Garrard, 1b	5	3	2
Joseph, 3b	5	3	3
Blackburn, c	5	1	2
Blades, ss	5	0	0
Snider, 2b	5	1	2
Higgins, rf	2	0	0
Crabb, rf	2	1	0
Totals	42	21	18

Parma	5 6 0 0 3 6 1—21
Matthews	0 0 0 2 3 4 1—10

Sportsman Calendar

HUNTING

	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (daily-possession)
Groundhogs, Crows, Coyotes	now open	no closed season	unlimited
Turkey	now open	May 7	1/season
Squirrel	May 30	Dec. 31	6-12
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8

FISHING

Impoundments (all species)	now open	no closed season	see Code Book
Streams (largemouth, small-mouth, spotted bass	May 30	now closed	see Code Book
Trout Management Areas (stamp required)	now open	no closed season	5-10
Trout Parks	now open	Oct. 31	5-10
Paddlefish (snagging)	now open	May 15	2-2
Non-game fish (snagging, snaring, etc.)	now open	May 15	see Code Book
Walleye & Sauger	see Code Book	see Code Book	see Code Book
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8

Turkey Stocking Works Two Ways

JEFFERSON CITY -- Missouri's wild turkeys are doing as good a job of restocking themselves as all the involved machinery of the Department of Conservation's turkey trapping program.

It takes at least two men to set up a cannon net in likely turkey country and may take as much as a week to lure a bird or several birds under the net. Then it takes an automobile to carry the crated birds to an airplane which flies them to another part of the state for distribution.

It's a whole lot easier though when a couple of hens and a gobbler unfold their great big wings and fly to new territory all by themselves -- which is what they've been doing.

Dan Dickneite, supervisor of the turkey restoration project in Missouri, has reliable reports from many areas of wild turkeys where none have been stocked.

"Most are within the general area of a previous stocking," he says. "But the birds have spread from prime territory where we stocked them into areas where we really didn't think they would survive."

There still are a few stocking projects on the books -- mostly supplemental where, for some reason, the turkey population is thin.

One new stocking next winter will be in Stoddard County. Assuming turkey trappers on Department of Conservation and other refuges can lure the birds, there will be two releases along Crowley ridge, each of about 12 hens and six gobblers.

Supplemental releases, usually about 10 birds, are scheduled for an area on the Shelby- Marion county line, the northwest partof Pulaski County, in Reynolds County near Bozarth State Forest, in Howell County south of Siloam Springs and in Taney County northeasat of Hercules.

Dickneite also plans to look at potential stocking sites in Callaway, Chariton and Buchanan Counties.

The turkey trappers caught 176 birds during the 1971- 72 winter, a good season. Of these, 127 went to restock eight sites around the state. Young gobblers are usually banded and released at the trap site.

Sites in Bollinger, Johnson and Laclede Counties got birds to fill out stocking begun in 1970-71. New introductions were made in Andrew, Carroll, Dallas and Holt Counties.

Since turkey trappers started their work in 1953, they have captured 1,984 birds, of which 1,629 have been used to restock 80 sites in 63 counties.

How well the program has worked is reflected in the 1972 turkey season which sees an all- time modern high of 53 counties open to hunting, almost half of which have turkeys directly as a result of restocking.

Conservation Commission To Meet

SWEET SPRINGS — The Conservation Commission will hold its regular monthly meeting at Blind Pony Wildlife Area near here on May 17, beginning at 1 p.m.

Conservation Commission meetings are open to the public. Anyone with business for the Commission should contact Department of Conservation headquarters in Jefferson City at least 10 days before the meeting.

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We have twice-weekly programs on Monday and Thursday. Recordings change about noon.

May 1: Leave Wildlife Babies Alone
May 4: Fishing Report
May 8: Missouri Fish Records
May 11: Fishing Report
May 15: What Kind of a Turkey Season Was It?
May 18: Fishing Report
May 22: Squirrell Season Upcoming
May 25: Fishing Report

Challenge Fades

JEFFERSON CITY -- A challenge quietly faded away last week when three bowhunters took gobblers on the first morning of Missouri's 13th modern turkey season.

Until then, no hunter had an authenticated bow trophy, though many had tried over the years. Two of the hunters, from widely separated areas, reported they took their birds at exactly the same time, so they will share honors as the first to do so.

LeRoy Braungardt of Moscow Mills had been trying for a bird with a bow for eight years and, only last year, had fired 23 shots at 19 gobblers he called up. He is the national amateur turkey calling champion, and chairman of the Conservation Federation's Wild Turkey committee.

Braungardt took a 15 pound juvenile gobbler in Lincoln County. But the largest bird was a whopping 33 pounds, 12 ounces, taken with a bow by Robert G. (Pokey) Lowe, Leslie, in Franklin County.

This bird was only one ounce shy of the record 33 pounds, 13 ounces. Bob Stephens of Salem set the record in 1971. Lowe got tired carrying the huge bird from the woods and dragged it part way like a deer.

What no one else will ever know is whether he dragged off two ounces of feathers.

Almost lost in the flurry of bow claimed turkeys was a 29 pound, six ounce gobbler, taken by Jake Arnold of Cherryville.

The turkey season will run through May 7, longest season since modern seasons began in 1960.

Master Of Disguise

LEBANON — Lon Chaney Sr. was known as "The Man of a Thousand Faces" during his movie career. There is a lady trout fisherman at Bennett Spring who apparently was trying for the same title ... but she didn't make it.

"I saw the woman early on opening day at Bennett Spring take a limit of five trout," says George Manville, Ripley County conservation agent who was working the trout opener.

"That afternoon, I found the same woman fishing in a different area. She had changed coat, shirt, pants, shoes and, to top it all off, changed hair -- she took off her wig.

"I turned the information over to agent supervisor Rob Sanders and, while he was writing up the violation, the lady's steak which she had on a charcoal grill, burned up. That really made her day complete.

Conservation Office To Open

SPRINGFIELD -- Harold White, district supervisor of conservation agents in Marion County, has been named to head a new office of the Department of Conservation soon to be located in Springfield.

The Springfield metropolitan office is the third such information and liaison center to be opened by the Department. Others are in St. Louis and Kansas City.

White was the state's outstanding conservation agent in 1971. He is a 12- year veteran with the Department and currently supervises conservation agents in six northeast Missouri counties -- Marion, Clark, Scotland, Knox, Lewis and Shelby.

The Springfield office will be in full operation sometime in July.

White began work with the Department after working as a St. Louis County, then a Ladue policeman. He has been assigned as conservation agent in Washington, Jefferson and St.Louis Counties.

He is a St. Louis native and a graduate of Central High School. He and his wife, Patricia Ann, have two daughters, Elizabeth 10 and Mary 5, and a son, Harold 7.

Mays On Block

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Willie Mays wasn't counting his birthday candles today. Rather he was counting the days he might have left with the San Francisco giants.

The Giants are thinking about trading Mays, who was 41 years old today, to the New York Mets.

Who says so?

M. Donald Grant, board chairman of the Mets, and Horace Stoneham, president of the Giants.

"Maybe we'll talk when we get to New York," Stoneham said Friday. "We'll discuss the possibility. We need pitchers."

The talks have been so serious that Stoneham admitted telling the Mets they had to promise to find a place for Mays in their organization, as the Giants have, when the outfielder calls it a career.

Grant said he had expected a call Thursday or Friday about the chances of acquiring Mays.

Mays learned about the secret Giants— met negotiations Friday in his hotel room over the telephone from a reporter. He wasn't upset about the possibility of being traded, but was visibly annoyed about not being informed.

"I only regret I wasn't told," said the outfielder, who still is the No. 2 home run hitter of alltime.

Would he go to New York if the Giants and Mets completed a deal?

"Nothing's been made," he replied.

Suppose it was?

"I'd have to wait and see. Meanwhile my business is trying to play baseball. I've been doing that for 20- years. I'm playing tonight Friday."

He was in the lineup Friday night against Philadelphia and the $165,000 a year superstar didn't help a .146 batting average as he went hitless in four at bats, leaving five runners on as the Giants lost 3-2 to the Phillies.

A source close to Mays indicated that the great outfielder, who broke in with the New York Giants May 25, 1951, wouldn't object to finishing his career in New York.

Mays appeared upset that the Giants felt he had reached the end of his great career.

"I was told that they were going with young players." Mays told a couple of dozen reporters in the Giants' dugout before Friday night's game.

"But I've contributed as much as the youth," he said.

"Why punish me? When your time is up they tell you to go? That's not fair."

Stoneham was asked if he had talked with Mays.

"No, and I didn't think it would get in the newspapers," Stoneham replied.

Lakers Take Lead

NEW YORK (AP) — "If New York had won, everybody would have been talking about what a great game Bill Bradley played," said Gail Goodrich of the Los Angeles Lakers.

"But they didn't," he said, pausing to savor the moment, then adding: "We did."

And by beating the Knicks 116-111 in overtime Friday night in Madison Square Garden, the Lakers, long frustrated trying for supremacy in the National Basketball Association, moved within a step of finally wearing the crown that has slipped from their grasp since 1954.

That was the year they last won the championship—only back then they were known as the Minneapolis Lakers. In 1960 they moved to Los Angeles. Seven times since then they have made it to the finals. And seven times they have been thwarted, the last time in 1970 by the Knicks.

This time, however, they appear destined to win it all. They lead the best-of-seven series 3-1 and only an outright miracle can keep them from the title.

They'll have their first shot at it Sunday night in Los Angeles.

"I'm not ready to celebrate yet," said Jim McMillian, who scored 23 points Friday night, including six on a trio of jump shots that had New York playing catch-up virtually throughout the overtime. "If I try to celebrate now, then I'll relax too much for the next game in Los Angeles."

And Jerry West, who hit 28 to lead all scorers, added: "I'm anxious to play that next game."

Bradley scored 26 to top the Knicks. Two of his baskets, a pair of jumpers in a 22-second span, pulled New York into a 111-111 tie wi t 1:35 remaining in overtime.

But 20 seconds later, West's two free throws put the Lakers on top for good, then they wrapped it up as Goodrich sank a field goal and free throw.

New York's other pro basketball entry, the Nets of the American Basketball Association, isn't in such a precarious position.

The Nets, winners of the East Division championship, went after the Western titleholders, the Indiana Pacers, today in Bloomington, Ind., in the opener of their best-of-seven series.

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Hawks Win 9th

BENTON — Mike Morrow, 3-1 pitcher for the Kelly Hawks, led his team to victory on the mound and at the plate when the Hawks walloped the Chaffee Red Devils, 10-2, in conference baseball action Friday.

Morrow added 10 strikeouts to his pitching achievements, walking four.

Chaffee's Tab Heeb chalked up three strikeouts and no walks as the Red Devil pitcher.

Kelly took every opportunity to gain extra base hits with Terry Deason connecting for two and Jeff Jackson and Mike Morrow getting one triple each.

Kenny Urhahn, Jeff Jackson, Allen Ziegler, and Richard Urhahn each slugged doubles. Mike Morrow was star at the plate with three hits and three runs batted in. Terry Deason used his two triples to bring in one run. Jeff Jackson batted in two runs, and Tommy Essner was credited with two runs batted in. Urhahn and Ziegler had one RBI each.

Pete Dooley led Chaffee's offense with a triple in the sixth knocking in one run.

Friday's victory puts the Kelly Hawks at a 9-2 season's record and 5-2 in the conference. Next week they will compete for the conferenct title, going against Illmo-Scott City.

The box score:

KELLY (10)

Player	AB	R	H
K. Urhahn, ss	3	2	1
M. Morrow, p	4	3	3
Essner, lf	4	0	1
Jackson, 3b	4	0	2
Glenn Green, c	3	1	0
T. Deason 1b	3	1	2
Chris Chrismon, rf	2	0	0
Ziegler, rf	1	1	1
R. Urhahn, 2b	3	2	2
J. Backfish, cf	3	0	0
Totals	30	10	12

CHAFFEE (2)

Richbourg, c	4	0	0
Steimle, 3b	3	1	0
Thomas, 1b-p	4	0	0
Littel, 1b	3	0	1
Dooley, ss	3	0	1
Heeb, p	1	0	1
Bess, cf	2	0	0
Grader, cf	1	0	0
Spencer, 2b	3	1	0
McConnel, rf	1	0	0
Totals	25	2	3

Chaffee	000 001 1-2
Kelly	120 034 0-10

Whorton, Edmonson Homer

ORAN -- The Eagles won their eighth baseball game of the season against the Scott Central Braves Friday, 7-2. Oran has lost three games.

Rick Irwin struck out eight Braves to pick up the win. David Pobst took the loss. Irwin gave up eight hits and Pobst allowed six hits, including home runs by Al Whorton and Jim Edmonson.

The game belonged to the Eagles from the first inning. Oran scored one run and added another in the second.

The Eagles put the game out of reach in the fourth by crossing the plate three times. Oran scored two more runs in the fifth. Scott Central solved the pitching of Irwin in the last inning. The Braves scored two runs.

The Oran Eagles play the Illmo- Scott City Rams in a Scott- Miss Conference game Monday to make up for a rained out contest earlier this season.

The box score:

ORAN (7)

Player	AB	R	H
Kraph, 3b	2	0	0
Al Wharton, cf	3	1	1
Rick Irsin, p	3	2	2
Shaffer, c	3	1	1
Seyer, rf	3	0	0
Edmondson, ss	3	1	1
Hanley, 1b	3	1	1
Schlosser, lf	3	0	1
LeGrand, 2b	2	1	1
Totals	25	7	8

SCOTT CENTRAL (2)

Teet, ss	3	0	1
Carrow, c	3	0	1
M. Pobst, 2b	4	0	0
D. Pobst, p	3	0	1
Hubbert, 1b	3	0	0
Worley, lf	2	1	0
Jackson, 3b	3	1	2
C. Pobst, cf	3	0	1
Jones, rf	3	0	0
Totals	27	2	6

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Great Day For Derby

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — The weather for the Kentucky Derby today at Churchill Downs will probably be partly sunny and warm, with the temperature in the upper 70s, the National Weather Service predicted.

A weather service official said chances of thundershowers during the derby are becoming more and more remote - about 10 to 20 per cent.

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Remarks: Top butcher hogs brought $24.40. Sows were steady and feeder shoats in good demand. Cattle were active and stronger on all classes.
Floyd Matthews

Warm, Wet Weather Gives Aid To Weeds

By JOE H. SCOTT
Missouri Extension Agronomist

PORTAGEVILLE — Last week saw Bootheel farmers busy planting cotton on the higher better drained soils. Heavy plantings were made in the southern part of Dunklin and Pemiscot Counties.

More cotton growers applied soil fungicides this year for extended protection against seedling diseases than in any year previous. However, all were looking for warm weather to help them get a rapid even emergence.

Warm weather and showers usually mean weed problems, especially broadleaf weeds like cocklebur, teaweed, and velvet leaf.

In visiting with growers, I find they are especially concerned about the teaweed (prickly sida). I believe more are applying preemergence treatments of Cotoran, Telvar, Karmex or Caparol in addition to their preplant herbicides than ever before, but still need to keep a sharp eye on fields to catch escaping teaweed and apply control measures when the weed is small.

When cotton reaches 3 inch stage can apply herbicidal oil, emulsifiable oil, or MSMA, DSMA plus cotoran or Herban. When cotton reaches 5-6 inch stage, Caparol + MSMA or Karmex + MSMA can be directed on weeds. Increasing surfactant percentage can help increase effectiveness of herbicides on teaweed but can also result in more injury to cotton plant.

Lorox + surfactant can be applied to 12-15 inch cotton. If catch weeds early effective control can be obtained without getting excessive spray on the cotton

Calibration and good spray coverage is essential for control of hard to kill weeds like the teaweed. Nozzle and other parts of spray equipment should be checked often. Spray volume is important when applying post- emergence to get good coverage. Don't skimp on water.

If you have problems, give your local Area Agronomy Specialist a all.

Young Farmers View Slides

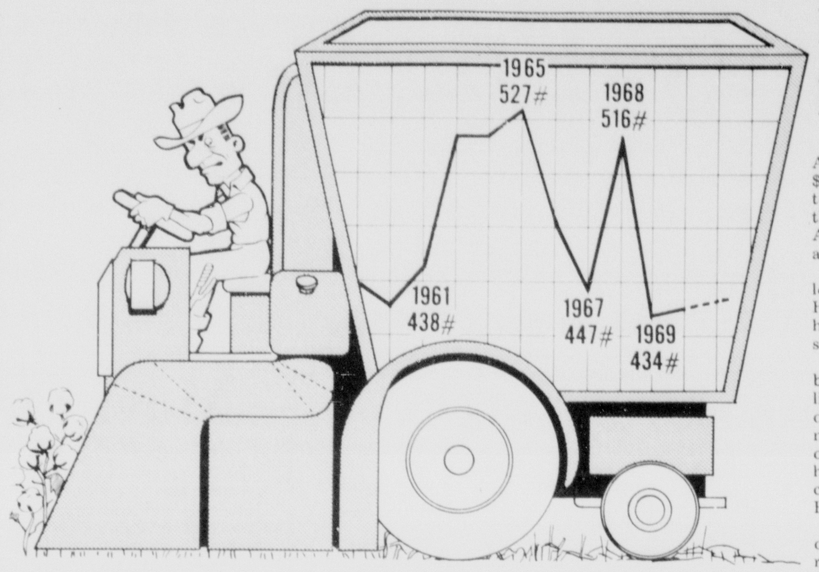
LILBOURN — New Madrid County Young Farmers met at the high school to see a slide presentation by Sam Atwell, area agronomist, on soybean herbicides.

A committee was selected to choose a speaker for the May meeting — Sam Faulkner, Tommy Essary and Roy Pipkins.

Dan Boone and Willard James, former county extension agents now associated with Mid-Continent Chemical Company of Hayti, then will present a program on "Scouting and Controlling Insects in Cotton."

Q—Which is the first medal in history to be made of pure Irish silver?

A—The first annual St. Patrick's Day Medal issued in 1972. The Medal is in commemoration of the landing of St. Patrick at Cill Mhantain in A.D. 432.



COTTON YIELDS DECLINING — Cotton yields have been declining just when cotton is showing a resurgence in the market. This has prompted a Beltwide campaign, spearheaded by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, National Cotton Council, and state Extension services, to obtain "Better Yields of Quality Cotton for Profit and Market Growth." Crops have been below normal for four out of the past five seasons. Across the Cotton Belt, yield per acre averaged 438 pounds in 1961. It rose to a record 527 pounds in 1965 but by 1971 was back down to 438 pounds, the same as 1961.

Weather Will Favor Cotton

By LEONARD F. HAND
Farm Meteorologist

PORTAGEVILLE — Favorable weather trends remain a feature of the outlook for May. Temperatures are expected to average above normal, and rain is likely to be near normal.

Circulation patterns should bring major tracks of high pressure inland from the Pacific Northwest across the Northern Plains and Ohio Valley to the Mid Atlantic Coast. This will mean relatively dry and mild air, although a good spread between night and day extremes in temperature. This pattern also allows for generous intrusions of warm southerly flow.

Centers of major low pressure systems are expected to develop in the Central Plateau area of the west, and follow a path to the Western Great Lakes Region. These primary lows will be too far north to affect the Bootheel directly. Cold fronts will trigger showers and thunderstorms, and we may occasionally see more of the secondary low pressure development on slow moving fronts that showed up in April.

Past records support the contention that best cotton years are those that get off to a fast start, temperaturewise. Other considerations determine final yields but a warm May will be a plus.

One vital consideration at this time is soil water content. Some land along the St. Francis was still under water as the month began, and the Mississippi was above flood stage at New Madrid. Thunderstorms developing as the month got underway dropped over an inch of rain on many sections and complicated the planting problem. April thunderstorms contributed variable amounts of water generally across the Bootheel. Agricultural Weather Stations all report more than Normal rainfall. These monthly totals range upward from the 4.78 inches at Portageville to 5.36 at Poplar Bluff, 5.75 at Malden, to 6.52 inches at Sikeston.

Five- day outlooks should be followed closely so that maximum advantage may be taken of gradually increasing evaporative influence of the atmosphere. Evaporation and plant use normally remove more water from the soil than is replaced by rainfall in May. Distribution of showers during the first two weeks of May will be the key to planting schedules.

Soil temperature during April didn't favor early plantings of cotton. At Portageville, only 6 days had average seedbed warmth of 68 degrees or higher. An upward swing the first of May was cut off by rainy weather. However, top layers of soil will warm rapidly, given sunny days and a chance to reduce excess water.

Avove normal temperatures anticipated for May suggest that use of post-emergence herbicides sensitive to cool weather may meet favorable conditions by the time the crop gets up. Again, access to fields will be dependent upon rainfall patterns, and warm, moist soils are likely to spur weeds as well as crops.

A predominantly warm airflow over the region, combined with near normal rainfall, suggests conditions favorable for disease organisms. Orchard spray schedules may be modified beneficially by following trends in the Extendent Outlook issued each day.

Some farmers were already checking on army worms in wheat as the month got underway. Low level winds will be a factor in controlling drift and getting maximum payload to the target. Also of interest will be the effect of midday convective currents upon settling rates of particles during warm periods.

As wheat matures late in May, farmers will be watching for thrips moving out into cotton. Late plantings are particularly vulnerable, but are not likely to be slowed by temperatures stress if trends are maintained through the month.

Normal rain for May for the Bootheel as a whole is 4.46 inches. Normals for individual cities are:

Cape Girardeau 4.80 inches, Dexter 4.47 inches, Fisk 4.36 inches, New Madrid 4.90 inches, Poplar Bluff 4.83 inches, Caruthersville 4.24 inches, Doniphan 4.84 inches, Morehouse 4.42 inches, Parma 4.70 inches and Sikeston 4.44 inches.

Short term averages for other cities — Advance 4.53 inches, Bloomfield 4.77 inches, Clearwater Dam 5.46 inches, Kennett 5.60 inches, Portageville 5.77 inches, Qulin 4.09 inches, Bernie 4.67 inches, Charleston 5.26 inches, Deering 3.83 inches, Malden 4.38 inches, Puxico 5.02 inches and Wappapello Dam 4.95 inches.

Long period records show that for Mays with normal rain averages have been 3.80 inches at Poplar Bluff, 4.28 at Sikeston, and 4.35 inches at Caruthersville. Under these conditions, totals have ranged from 3.27 to 4.59 inches at Poplar Bluff, from 3.27 to 4.85 at Sikeston, and from 3.24 to 5.10 inches at Caruthersville.

Farm Operating Loans Increase $38 Million

The Farmers Home Administration has released $38 million in new loan funds to help family farmers put in their 1972 crops, Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz has announced.

This raises the operating loan program of the Farmers Home Administration to a new high of $313 million, Butz said.

Funds may be used to buy seed, feed, fertilizer, livestock, tractor fuel and other equipment and facilities needed to run a successful farm operation. Loans will be handled through some 1,750 county offices of Farmers Home Administration.

"Not only is the operating loan program at record levels, funding of the $350 million farm ownership and 140 million emergency loan programs of Farmers Home Administration is also at a peak," James V. Smith, agency administrator, said.

"Add the more than $200 million that is being provided our borrowers from private credit sources through out joint lending efforts, and the total available to Farmers Home Administration family farmers this year will easily exceed a billion dollars, surpassing the previous all-time high record of service by some $300 million," he said.

The U.S.D.A. agency supplies supplementary credit to family farmers who are unable to obtain conventional credit from regular sources at reasonable rates and terms.

Wheat Rising As Livestock Feed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department says wheat has "become a rising star" as a livestock feed in addition to its traditional and major use as a bread grain.

About 15 per cent of the annual U.S. wheat production went into livestock feed the past three years, says the Economic Research Service, compared with five per cent during the 1960-68 period.

Farm Labor Up First Time In Five Years

WASHINGTON (AP) — New census figures show the nation's farm labor force increased four per cent last year, the first upturn since 1967, says the Agriculture Department.

But the increase resulted from more "casual" or parttime workers, not from a rise in the number of steadier hired hands, the Economic Research Service says in a report.

In all, about 2,550,000 persons did some farm work for wages last year, an increase of about 62,000 from 1970, according to the ERS report.

Workers who put in less than 25 days of farm work in 1971 totaled about 1,191,000 or a boost of about 98,000 from the year before. Those who put in more time for farm wages, however, declined nearly 63,000 from 1971.

The report, prepared by Robert C. McElroy, a manpower specialist for ERS, showed the typical farm worker in 1971 was 22, white, male, did not live on a farm, put in 76 days of farm work at $11.60 a day for total earnings of about $822 in cash wages.

State Fair Signs Jones And Wynette

SEDALIA, Mo. (AP) — A second country music show has been signed for the 1972 Missouri State Fair, Wilbert Askew, fair secretary, announced today.

George Jones and Tammy Wynette, popular country and western singers, are billed with Faron Young, also a singer, in a country music show.

Also in the show will be Jamey Ryan, Dave Hall the County Deputies Band and Harold Morrison, Patsy Sledd, James Hollie, Charlie Carter and the Jones Boys.

Askew announced the signing of the Jerry Lee Lewis and Ernest Tubbs show previously as one of the country music specialities for the fair, which opens here Aug. 18. Exact dates of the two shows have not been set.

520 Farmers To Get Set Aside Look

BENTON Set- aside inspection and measurement service is under way in Scott County, with a total of 520 farm visits booked, according to farm program official Roy Proctor.

He said any farm program participant can get inspection and measurement service for his crop and set- aside acres before the certification deadline by putting in a request at the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office.

Transfer Approved

BENTON — The Scott County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service committee has received authority to approve transfers to cotton acreage due to natural disaster. This action was initiated by the committee because of excessive rains.

County farmers will be permitted to transfer cotton acreage from farms too wet to timely plant or replant to other farms in Scott or adjoining counties.

To be eligible, the producer on the transferring farm must also be a producer on the receiving farm. He must also retain an interest in the crop on the receiving farm.

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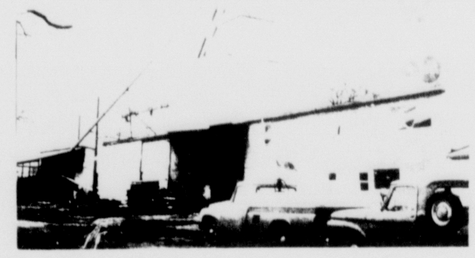

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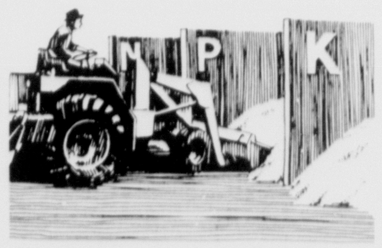

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Japanese Interest In Livestock

JEFFERSON CITY — Marketing Director Gene Thompson of the Missouri Department of Agriculture, who has returned from the 1972 American Food Festival in Tokyo, reports interest was shown in Missouri's purebred livestock.

Interest was shown by Japanese traders in quality and performance tested records, mainly in swine, beef cattle and dairy cattle, Thompson says.

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County Agent's Column

BLOOMFIELD — Indications are that a number of farmers in Stoddard County will produce grain sorghum again this year. This article is being published to answer many questions that farmers are asking pertaining to the production of this crop.

The seedbed for grain sorghum should be prepared in much the same manner as for corn. A well prepared, clean, firm seedbed helps to insure a better stand and makes planting, cultivating, and harvesting easier. It will also facilitate good weed control.

A number of good hybrid varieties are well adapted to this area. Bird resistant varieties have an advantage where birds are a problem. Some of the best yields produced in Stoddard County last season were produced by good, non bird- resistant varieties. Whether this will prove to be true over a period of years remains to be seen. A variety which produces an open head is likely to have less bird and insect damage and offers an advantage in drying. Detailed information pertaining to the performance of sorghum varieties tested at the University of Missouri Delta Center at Portageville is outlined in a publication which is available upon request at your County University Extension Center.

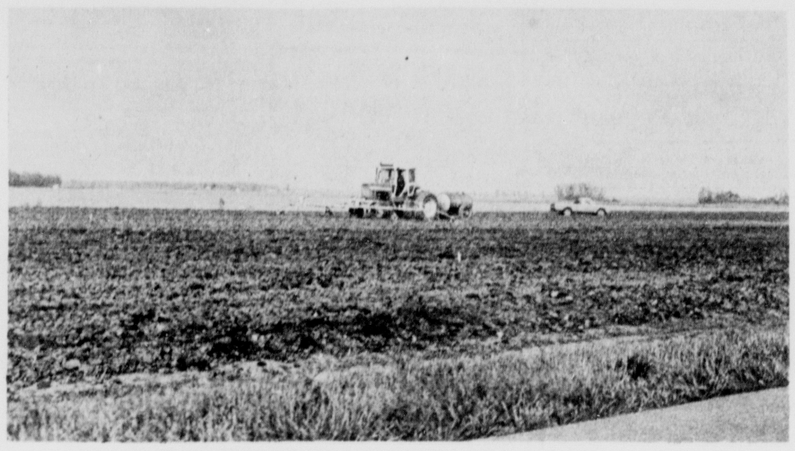
Sorghum is a warm weather crop; therefore, it should not be planted as early as corn. It is best to wait until the soil temperature is 70 degrees F. and there is little chance of lower temperature for any significant period of time. May is normally a good time to plant grain sorghum in this area.

A planting rate of four to six pounds of seed per acre is usually recommended. Due to the size variation in sorghum seed, however, the number of seed per foot of row is believed to be a better guide for the planting rate. Research has indicated that optimum yields can be expected from four to six plants per foot of row in the final stand. good germinating seed commonly produce plants from approximately 50 percent of the seed planted. Consequently, an average of 10 to 12 seed per foot of row is believed to be a good planting rate. If sorghum is to be irrigated the planting rate can be increaased. If planted too thickly, lodging, charcoal rot, and uneven heads will likely cause problems. Research results shows no advantage for increasing the number of plants per acre when narrow rows are used. Sorghum seed should be planted one to two inches deep.

A soil test is your best guide as to the kind and amount of fertilizer and lime to apply for grain sorghum. Phosphate requirements are slightly lower than corn, and comparable yields can usually be produced with about three-fourths the amount of nitrogen normally recommended for corn on the same land.

Cultivation is done in much the same manner as for corn. Chemical weed control can be especially beneficial during the first few weeks after planting when sorghum normally grows slowly. Herbicides recommended for preemergence weed control in sorghum include Norea (Herban) Norea plus Atrazine (Herban 21A) Norea plus Propazine (Herban 21P) Propachlor (Ramrod), Propachlor plus Atrazine (Ramrod plus Atrazine) and Propazine (Miloguard). Herbicides should be used in accordance with their effectiveness against specific weed problems existing in each field.

Information on grain sorghum production may be obtained from County University Extension Centers.



BIG OAK FARMS INC. Manager John Servatius has a problem. More than 1,000 acres of the 6,000-acre farm are under water. Heavy rains and high Mississippi river water have stopped drainage and water continues to back up over lowlands. The levee opening at New Madrid is full. The equipment is spraying a chemical for weed control in the cotton crop. Hundreds of acres in the background are under water. The farm is eight miles southeast of East Prairie.

Stoddard Farm Lands Flooded

DEXTER — More than 20,000 acres of farm land on the western side of Stoddard County are badly flooded, due to the fact that the U. S. corps of Engineers opened the gates at Wappapello Dam at the height of the recent rains.

At the urging of U. S. Senator Stuart Symington, the gates at the dam have been partially closed, but not before the more than 20,000 acres of land were flooded. Some of the water is standing several feet deep on the farm land.

Homes have been surrounded by water, farm buildings and grain storage buildings have been flooded and damaged. Rains of Monday added to the flooding situation.

But the St. Francis River channel, which is supposed to carry away the excess water is not perfroming its purpose because of the clogged condition.

Sen Symington told farmers that approval has been given by the Congress to "clean out" the St. Francis River channel but that no money has been appropriated for the work. He promised that he would urge quick action on the problem.

The problem, as farmers in the area explain it, is this--

Heavy rains fill Wappapello Lake to a point where the U. S. Corps of Engineers, for one reason or another, feel they must open the gates and let millions of gallons of water flow downstream. The reason for opening the gate are unclear. Corps of Engineers officials claim that their reason for opening the gate are unclear. Corps of Engineers officials claim that their reason is increased pressure on the dam. Some farmers below the dam -- who are flooded almost every spring - claim that the "real reason" is the flooding of pasture land above the dam.

In either case, the gates are opened.

But the water has no place to go - or at least an unsatisfactory place to go.

Since the St. Francis River channel is clogged with undergrowth, debris, and is not dug to a sufficient depth, the water spills over onto adjoining farm land.

One farmer in the west Stoddard County area today estimated that 30,000 acres were flooded. Other estimates put the number of acres at between 20,000 and 30,000.

At the urging of Sen. Symington and others, the flow from the dam was sharply reduced, but not stopped, it was pointed out.

Meanwhile farmers in the area have a gloomy outlook toward crops this season. With the river channel clogged, the water will not leave quickly, they estimated. In the meantime, May has arrived, crops are already late, and the outlook is not bright for productive farming on those more than 20,000 acres this spring.

4-H Sunday To Be Observed

BENTON — On Sunday, 4-H Clubs and 4-H members will celebrate 4-H Sunday.

When 4-H members assemble to worship God on 4-H Club Sunday, they join with those of many generations in seeking the blessing of God upon the land, the seed, the cultivation of the earth, and the enrichment of home and community life.

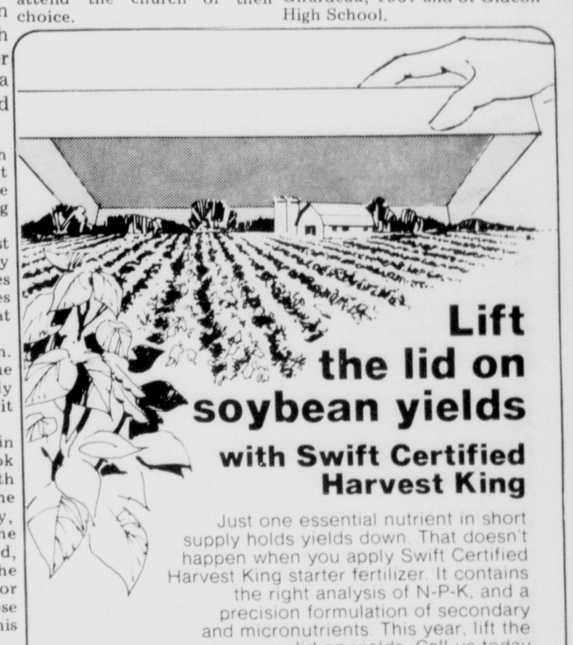
Four-H Club Sunday is an outgrowth of Rural Life Sunday. In its observance, 4-H members are encouraged to attend the church of their choice.

Dixon Takes Scout Post

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Phillip L. Dixon was employed by the Boy Scouts of America to serve as the district executive for the Shawnee District, Southeast Missouri Council.

He has moved to Cape Girardeau from Highland, Ill., where he served as district executive and director of camping for the Cahokia Mound Council, Boy Scouts of America five years.

He and his wife are graduates of Southeast Missouri State College, Cape Girardeau, 1967 and of Gideon High School.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Ranchers Want Use Of 'Agent Orange'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government is under pressure to turn loose the powerful Agent Orange, a chemical defoliant banned for use in the Vietnam war, for widespread application n American ranch lands.

Government sources say ranchers have urged that the chemical be declared military surplus and sold to them at cut rates for use in killing sagebrush on millions of acres of livestock grazing land.

Some members of Congress also have asked that the chemical be made available to ranchers, according to a spokesman for the Environmental Protection Agency.

But the EPA says it is unlikely government stockpiles of the chemical will be declared surplus.

Agent Orange was used for years by the Air Force to denude Vietnam jungles before the Defense Department halted the practice in 1970. Laboratory tests showed the chemical retarded growth and caused birth defects in rodents.

The government has about 1.6 million gallons of Agent Orange in South Vietnam and another 800,000 gallons in U.S. storage it would like to destroy.

"We're being besieged on both sides," the EPA spokesman said. "From ranchers who want us to get it for them, and from environmentalists who object to plans for burning it."

The EPA says burning Agent Orange in high-intensity furnaces which have antipollution safeguards is an acceptable method of disposal as long as it is done away from major population centers.

Q—What city occupies the site of ancient Carthage?

A—Tunis, capital of Tunisia.

Supply Important To Soybean Buyers

HUDSON — "Quality, price and a constant, reliable supply are the three main factors which determine demand for soy protein," said Ad Blankestijn, Amsterdam, Holland.

He and three other representatives of the European oilseed crushers held a series of meetings with soybean farmers in Des Moines, Springfield, Ill.; Memphis, and Sumter, S. C. The other representatives were Eugene Schmidt, Germany; Giovanni Ramette, Italy; and Raymond Vandemoortele, Belgium. They stressed that they were not as concerned about paying $3 a bushel for beans as they are concerned about consistent supply of beans.

According to Blankestijn, the dock strike cost soybean farmers and their foreign customers "millions of dollars."

"It is unacceptable in the 20th century that a conflict of just one link of the world's economic chain can cause disastrous losses to millions of U. S. farmers and millions of consumers 5,000 to 10,000 miles away.

The right to disturb that much in the world's economic life is too much right to grant anybody. We processed 107 million bushels of soybeans in 1968, but 180 million bushels in 1971, a 66 per cent increase. By 1974, we will have completed additional plants that will stretch our capacity to 280 million bushels."

He asked the farmers to pay more attention to the management of soybean production. "You can add $15 income per acre just be increasing yield 5 bushels per acre."

These four meetings were arranged by the American Soybean Association to provide soybean farmers and their customers an opportunity to have an open discussion concerning their mutual problems.

Harold Kuehn, president of ASA, welcomed the group to the United States and stated that the U. S. soybean farmer will continue to produce the needed supply of beans for the world market. Kuehn also stated that ASA was in full agreement with the Europeans concerning the dock strike and that ASA was supporting legislation that would correct this.

"We are concerned that demand will outstrip production and supply of soybeans which could cause irreversible damage to soybean markets. In order to meet existing demand and the expected increase in demand, we must have 1.4 billion bushels of beans this year," said Blankestijn.

Teasdale To Walk In Area

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Joseph R. Teasdale will bring his walking campaign for governor to Cape Girardeau Tuesday — and he'll walk right up to what may be a heated Cape County Democratic convention.

The Jackson County prosecuting attorney from Kansas City, one of 11 seeking the Democratic party's gubernatorial nomination, will open his southeast Missouri trek by spending the day here.

On Wednesday Teasdale will walk into Scott County spending much of the day in Sikeston. He will also visit Stoddard, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot and Dunklin Counties during his 10-day tour of the Bootheel.

He will visit Illmo-Scott City Wednesday. He will be at the Scott City Hall at 1 p.m. and the Illmo City Hall at 2:30 p.m.

Accounting Course May Be Offered

PORTAGEVILLE — The University of Missouri proposes to offer Elementary Accounting I for the summer semester beginning the first week of June.

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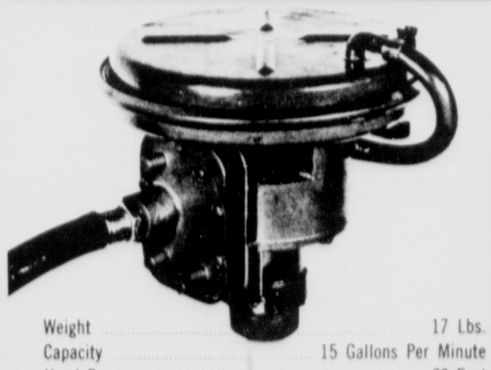

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John R. Lathom to sell liquor in original package at 111 E. Malone.

These applications will be considered at the next meeting of the City Council to be held at the City Hall in the City of Sikeston, Missouri. Any person or persons who may have lawful objections to the issuance of licenses to the above named individuals for the operation of the establishment named, or the location indicated, may file their objections with the City Clerk.

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No. A-475

Order For Publication Notice

On this 6th day of April, 1972, it appearing from the verified application of petitioners for an order allowing service by publication that defendant, CARL OTERO, cannot be personally served within this state, it is ordered that the application of petitioners, be granted and that service by publication upon said defendant be had as provided by law and that said defendant be and is hereby notified that an action has been commenced againts t said defendant in the circuit court for Scott County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which are

custody and adoption of Sheila Kay Otero, a minor.

And that said defendant be and is hereby further notified that the name and address of the attorney for petitioners is Manuel Drumm, 113 West North Street, Sikeston, Missouri, and that said defendant is required to appear and defend this action within 45 days after the 15th day of April, 1972, and in case of failure so to do judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

And it is further ordered that a copy thereof be published according to law in the Daily Standard, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 10th day of April, 1972.
(SEAL)

Lynn F. Ingram
Circuit Clerk.

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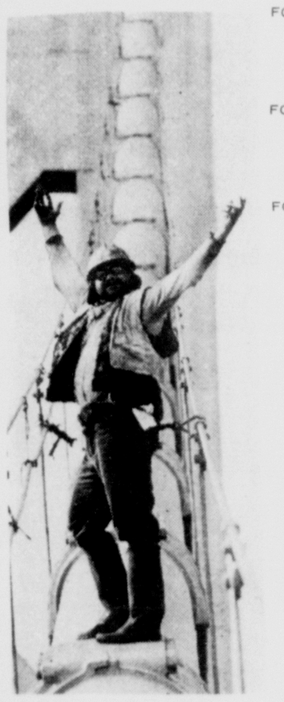
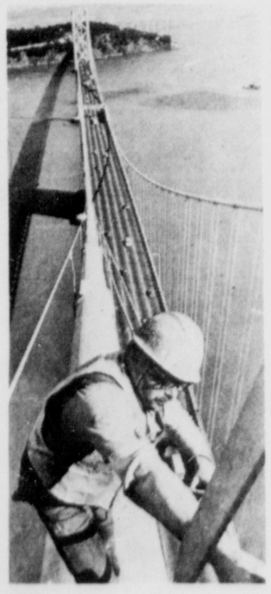


LOOK! NO HANDS! It may not seem much of a trick, above, until you know where Brookner W. Brady Jr., a structural steel painter, is doing it—on a main cable of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge, below, some 300 feet above the water.



Q—What is meant by 20/20 vision?

A—Nearly perfect vision is so designated.

Q—Does the catfish have scales?

A—Most have no scales, but some of the South American kinds have bony plates over their skin.

Q—How fast does the heart of a chicken beat?

A—About 300 times a minute.

Q—Which type of animal life predominates in the world?

A—There are more insects than all other types of animals put together.

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1—In Memoriam

In loving memoriam
of Bobby Sullivan
Who left us 1 year ago May 7, 71

Just when his days seemed brightest
Just when his hopes seemed best
God called him from amongst us
to his eternal rest.
Dear God forgive a selfish tear
A selfish wish that he was here
There are others that we know
but he was ours, we loved him so -
it broke our hearts to loose him but
he did not go alone for part of us
went with him the day God called
him home. Our hearts still ache
with loneliness. Our eyes shed
many tears and God you know how
much we miss him, at the close of 1
sad year.

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Saturday, May 6, the 127th day of 1972. There are 239 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1941, Joseph Stalin became premier of the Soviet Union, succeeding V.M. Molotov.

On this date:

In 1818, the German social philosopher, Karl Marx, was born in Prussia.

In 1861, Arkansas withdrew from the Union.

In 1889, the Eiffel Tower in Paris was officially opened.

In 1895, movie star Rudolph Valentino was born in Castellaneta, Italy.

In 1910, The Edwardian era ended with the death of Britain's King Edward VII.

In 1960, Britain's Princess Margaret Rose was married to Antony Armstrong Jones in London's Westminster Abbey.

Ten years ago: Antonio Segni was elected president of Italy.

Five years ago: There were reports from mainland China of new clashes between Red Guards, army troops and workers.

One year ago: The U.S. Food and Drug Administration advised against eating swordfish because of its high mercury content.

Today's birthdays: Baseball star Willie Mays is 41. Actor and director Orson Wells is 57. Writer Theodore White is 57.

Thought for today: The trouble with being punctual is that nobody's there to appreciate it—anonymous.

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Books and Writers

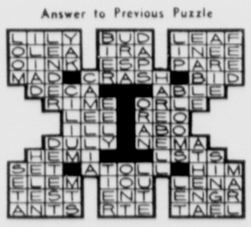
ACROSS

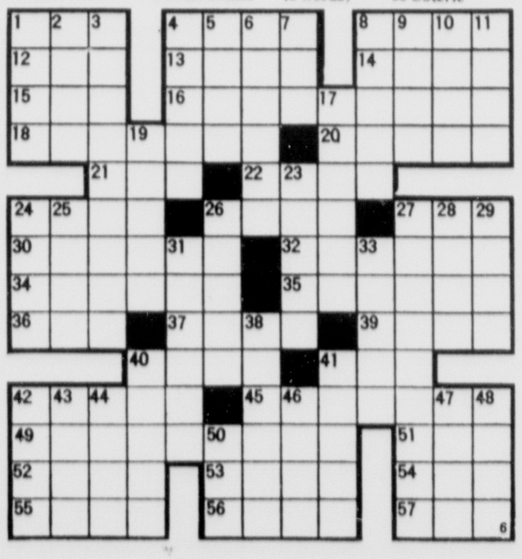
1 "Ben ——"
4 Sawyer and Finn
8 "Vanity ——"
12 Stowe character
13 Plane surface
14 Fairy tale opener
15 Legal point
16 Scorned to accept
18 Winged fruits
20 Word for Tiny Tim
21 Caucho
22 Nights before
24 Elapsed
26 Repast
27 Depot (ab.)
30 Hebrew ascetic
32 Jumped
34 Looked askance
35 Body of land
36 Light brown
37 Plaid shawl used in south Scotland
39 Table scraps
40 Part of the hand
41 Tiny
42 Concerning
45 Wall overlay
49 Disintegration
51 Island (Fr.)
52 Mason's creator's first name
53 Great Lake
54 Wrong (prefix)
55 Koko's weapon
56 Conduce
57 Consume food

DOWN

1 Belonging to that girl
2 Iris layer
3 Danish author
4 Spanish priest
5 Operatic solo
6 Tenant under a lease
7 Sorrowful
8 Fencing weapons
9 Girl's name
10 Frosts
11 Communists
17 White poplars
19 Change
23 Sound
24 Beast's skin
25 Bewildered
26 Merit award
27 Leisure moments (2 words)
28 Canvas shelter
29 Puts to
31 Thread (comb. form)
33 Tropical plants
38 Arbiter
40 Thick soup
41 Decreased
42 High cards
43 Came into existence by birth
44 Shield bearing
46 Cut of meat
47 Pseudonym of Charles Lamb
48 Pause
50 Coterie

Answer to Previous Puzzle





STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Looks	31 Are	61 You
2 Excellent	32 For	62 Life
3 Better	33 And	63 Parties
4 Be	34 Explosive	64 You
5 Be	35 Sport	65 Motor
6 Willing	36 Revise	66 Places
7 Finicky	37 Especially	67 Supporter
8 Stick	38 Nothing	68 If
9 To	39 And	69 Travel
10 Someone	40 Pattern	70 Today
11 Solidify	41 Your	71 Stars
12 People	42 Lucky	72 Trips
13 Future	43 Brighter	73 Companions
14 Nothing	44 House	74 The
15 A	45 Tempers	75 On
16 Like	46 Relating	76 Changes
17 Choose	47 And	77 Tide
18 Your	48 Opinions	78 You
19 To	49 Gained	79 Might
20 Financial	50 Of	80 It's
21 Prospects	51 Than	81 Intimate
22 Admires	52 Puts	82 With
23 Good	53 Oldtime	83 Is
24 With	54 Friends	84 Imagine
25 Plans	55 Familiar	85 A
26 Ventured	56 Staunch	86 Meetings
27 New	57 Surround	87 Care
28 Friends	58 To	88 Pedestal
29 Your	59 So	89 Changing
30 Thank	60 Start	90 Justified

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Good · Adverse · Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 20-21-31-43 / 51-61-79-84

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 11-13-25-37 / 46-58-69

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 4-6-19-36 / 48-68-80-90

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 14-26-38-49 / 59-60-70

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 1-16-29-40 / 50-62-76

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 10-22-33-52 / 64-75-85-88

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 2-32-44-63 / 65-72-81-86

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 7-12-24-34 / 45-57-78

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 5-15-23-35 / 47-56-67

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 17-18-27-28 / 39-73-82-87

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 3-8-9-53 / 54-55-66

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 30-41-42-71 / 74-77-83-89

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RICHLAND HIGH SCHOOL of Essex will hold graduation ceremonies May 19 Those graduating are, from left, top to bottom, Barbara Alford, Stanley Bolin, Glenn Bridges, Norman Cole, Sharon Sides, William Dial Jr., John Farr, Donna Franklin, Cathy Goza, Kathleen Hann, Michael Hare, C. W. Riddle, superintendent Jimmie G. Lawrence, principal, Charles Hester, Mildred Hill, Steven Kinder, class president, William Fowler, vice president; Vanessa Smith, secretary; Pamela Ross, student council; Terry Russell, student council; Phillip Tvy, reporter; Troy Kidd, Michael Lane, Daniel McGhee, Lynn McMullin, Glen McMullin, Virginia Maddox, Dale Morse, Julia Niederstadt, Maria Perez, Deborah Pope, Mary Schuerenberg, Alfreda Shaw, Judy Simpson, Dennis Sims, Johnny Sims, Debbie Sitz, Emma Hall, sponsor; O. H. Brooks, sponsor; Debra Stroud, Betty Vails, Ginger Wilson, Essie Mathies.

The guy with no get-up in the morning will soon have all day to sleep.

Very few troubles are gotten rid of by telling them to others.

One of the sure signs of spring is the sprouting of "Keep Off the Grass" signs.

People with chips on their shoulders are quite often blockheads.

Deaths

FLEIX BOX

NEW MADRID — Felix Box, 62, 250 Dawson Road, a retired meatpacker and farmer, died Tuesday at Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff following an extended illness.

He was born April 12, 1910, in Greenville, Miss. He was a World War II veteran.

Survivors include his widow, Dazy; one son, Razie Box of Saginaw, Mich., and three grandchildren.

Visitation hours are 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at Richards Funeral Home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Mount Olive Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Charlie Bell officiating.

Burial will be in Sand Hill Cemetery.

ALBERT FARRIS

DEXTER Albert Lee Farris, 68, 715 North Sassafras, died Friday at 10:45 a.m. in Dexter Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack.

He was born Nov. 30, 1903, in Pemiscot County. He married Glenda Hodge Jan. 12, 1944, in Arkansas.

Survivors include his widow; three sons, Gary Lee Farris, Poplar Bluff; Charles Dewayne Farris, Dexter; Albert Junior Farris, Malden; one daughter, Mary Lee Noltkamper, Belleville, Ill.; one sister, Mrs. Mamie Ward, Dudley; and three grandchildren.

Services wil be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Rainey Funeral Home with the Rev. Gerald Beam officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

COMMUNITY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION offices in the East Prairie R-2 school district were installed. From left, Jerry Williams, president; Michael Euer, vice president; Mrs. Roy Cloud, secretary; and Miss Imogene Gullion, treasurer.

JAMES DAVENPORT

James A. "Jim" Davenport, 58, 327 Edmondson, died today at 8:50 a.m. in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

He was employed by the International Shoe Factory for 27 years.

He was born March 31, 1914 in Scott county.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Velma Mays Davenport, of Sikeston; four daughters, Mrs. Paul Holden, Mrs. Marvin Williams and Emily Ruth Davenport, all of Sikeston, Mrs. Howard Davis of East St. Louis; one brother, Lyman Davenport, of Sikeston; one sister, Mrs. Verba Bolden of Cape Girardeau and 11 grandchildren.

Visitation may begin after 6 p.m. today in the Welsh Funeral Home.

Services will be Monday at 2 p.m. in the Welsh chapel with the Rev. T. A. McDonough, pastor of the Assembly of God church officiating, assisted by the Rev. G. B. Corn, pastor of the Fellowship Baptist church.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

GOLDIE MORRIS

FESTUS — Mrs. Goldie Morris, 81, died at 3 a.m. Friday, in the Mountain View Nursing Home at Festus.

Mrs. Morris was of the Clines Island community but had been a patient at the nursing home one year.

She was a member of the Clines Island General Baptist church and had been the Clines Island correspondent for the Bloomfield Vindicator.

She was born Sept. 11, 1890 in Monterey, daughter of James F. and Mary J. Wilson. She married Joe D. Morris Nov. 10, 1949. He died Dec. 31, 1966.

Eastern Star rites will be at 8 p.m. today in the Chiles Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be Sunday at 2 p.m. in the chapel with the Rev. Floyd Miller of Poplar Bluff and the Rev. William Lucy of Essex officiating.

Burial will be in the Bloomfield cemetery.

ETHEL DYE

Services for Ethel Elizabeth Dye, 78, of Crowder will be Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the chapel of the Bill O'Guinn Funeral Home in Sikeston with the Rev. John Cullins, pastor of the Crowder Church of God, officiating.

Burial will be in the New Morley cemetery.

Mrs. Dye died early Friday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Floya Masterson, in Crowder. She was born Jan. 12, 1894 in Mississippi county.

Other survivors include two daughters, Lornen Wheeler of Oneida, Ill. and Mrs. Nellie Tracy of St. Louis; two sons, C. L. Gray of Galva, Ill. and Roscoe Gray of Morley; two stepsons, Carol and Ode Dye, both of Crowder; two step daughters, Mrs. Pauline Green of Bell City and Mrs. Lucille Burris of Grant City; one sister, Mrs. Kate Whittenberg of Hayti; three brothers, Walter Wilburn of Farmington, Herbert Wilburn of Patton and Watt Wilburn of Crystal Rivers, Fla., 13 grandchildren; 33 great grandchildren.

Palmer Promoted By IBM

David W. Palmer of Saugerties, N.Y., has been promoted by International Business Machines to senior associate programmer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer of Sikeston and has been with IBM 11 years.

He is a 1956 graduate of Sikeston High School and served four years in the Air Force. He attended Southeast Missouri State College, Cape Girardeau, two years.

He is in Sikeston to help operate his father's business while his father recovers from a heart attack.

Telephone Rate Hike Opposed

CAPE GIRARDEAU — A copy of the resolution approved Wednesday night by the City Council opposing the proposed rate increase for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was forwarded to the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The PSC will begin hearings Monday in Jefferson City on the company's request for higher rates.

The City of Cape Girardeau is one of the intervenors in the case, although no city officials plan to attend the hearings. The resolution endorses testimony of the General Services Administration, principal intervenor.

The company is asking for a $63.5 million rate increase which would affect customers throughout Missouri. The cae will move to the St. Louis County Courthouse in Clayton on May 22-23 where public testimony will be taken.

The company's request for the annual increase has drawn 26 intervenors to protect the interests of various cities, counties and groups. Sikeston, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Farley, Independence and Grandview are among cities that have intervened.

Correction

The name of John Sterling Nolen, of Lilbourn, who died enroute to the Missouri Delta Community hospital Thursday after he was struck by a Cotton Belt Railroad freight train, was spelled incorrectly in Friday's Daily Standard. Also incorrect were his widow's maiden name, Evelyn Miller, and one of his daughter's name, Joyce Nettles.

Q—What does the Hebrew name Michael mean?
A—Godlike.

18 Treated

Eighteen were treated in the emergency room of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital Friday:

Francis Hemphill, 11, Charleston, fell while playing and cut right hand; Alonzo Wigfall, 17, Portageville, injured at home, bruises and scratches; Thersa Adams, 36, Sikeston, injured at work, bruised; Ira Blankenship, 26, Canalou, fell at home, scratched and bruised.

Bernard Hicks, 12, Essex, sprained left wrist at home; David Williford, 12, East Prairie, fractured right arm at school; Bryan Jolly, 53, Sikeston, fell at home and cut scalp; Leland Elfe, 45, Wausau, Wis. cut foot on glass; James Clemons, 48, East Prairie, face burned by radiator;

James Hall, 19, New Madrid, stepped on nail, puncture wound to left foot; Henry Baker, 12, Sikeston, fell at school and bruised right foot; Syble Norwood, 3, Canalou, stepped on nail, puncture wound of right foot; Evelyn Tedford, 15, Sikeston, sprained right hand while playing.

Ronnie Thomason, 28, Maldrn, injured back at work; Donna Fuhrman, 3, Sikeston, fell at home and cut chin; Jimmie Jones, 27, Bertrand, cut right hand at work; Lissa Gregory, 16, Sikeston, cut right hand on glass; William Campbell, 16, Parma, fell at school and bruised right elbow.

Six Arrested For Speeding

CHARLESTON — Appearing in police court this morning on charges of speeding were Connie Morrow, Sikeston, fined $15; Ralph Saudder, Sikeston, fined $11; and Janice Sanders, Cape Girardeau, fined $12.

Also arrested last night on speeding charges were Dale Tatum, 33, Anniston, John Edward Glass, 23, Charleston and John Poyner, 39, of Sikeston. They will appear in police court Monday.

Cornell Cassell, 42, Charleston paid a $12 fine Friday on a charge of running a stop sign.

Earnest Walker, 24, was fined $15 on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Q—Which two heavyweight boxing champions retired undefeated and did not attempt a comeback?
A—Gene Tunny and Rocky Marciano.

Q—Do turtles have teeth?
A—No. But the jaws have horny edges that can cut hard substances.

Q—Which two states were admitted to the Union on the same day?
A — North and South Dakota, Nov. 2, 1889.

Charleston In Contest

JEFFERSON CITY — Charleston has entered the 1972 Missouri Community Betterment awards competition, Guy Park Krause, director of the program, announced.

Communities entered will compete with cities of comparable size and $10,500 will be awarded to towns under 10,000 in population.

The 1972 winners will be announced at the ninth annual Missouri Community Betterment conference in October.

County Court Approves Bills

BENTON — The Scott County Court has reviewed and approved these bills:

Lankford Drug Store, Chaffee, medicine for county prisoners, $40.07;

Daily Standard, Sikeston, printing 2,000 bad check complaint sheets for prosecuting attorney, $64.90, printing 2,000 non- assessment cards for collector, $34.75;

Cox Office Supply, Sikeston, office supplies for probate judge, $23.10;

Superior Business Machines, Inc., Sikeston, repairing office machine for circuit clerk, $36.50.

River Stages

Mississippi River Stages

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	25.6	-.2
Cape Girardeau	32	31.6	+.4
Cairo	40	47.3	-.4
New Madrid	34	36.4	-.2
Caruthersville	32	35.7	-.2

FORECAST

The forecast at Chester is not available on Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .1 Sunday; fall .3 Monday and fall .5 Tuesday.

At Cairo the river will fall .8 Sunday; fall one foot Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .3 Sunday; fall .7 Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall .3 Sunday; fall .5 Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

ohio river stages

	FLOOD	NOW	CH.
Golconda, Ill.	40	37.0	-2.9
Paducah, Ky.	39	38.0	-1.1
Grand Chain, Ill.	42	47.3	-.6
Cairo	40	47.3	-.4

FORECAST

The Ohio river at Golconda will fall 2.5 Sunday; fall 2.2 Monday and fall 1.8 Tuesday.

At Paducah the river will fall 1.5 Sunday; fall 1.5 Monday and fall 1.5 Tuesday.

At Grand Chain and Cairo the river will fall .8 Sunday; fall one foot Monday and fall .9 Tuesday.

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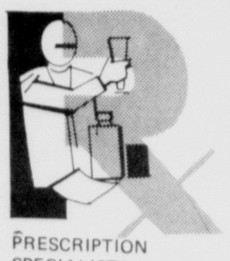

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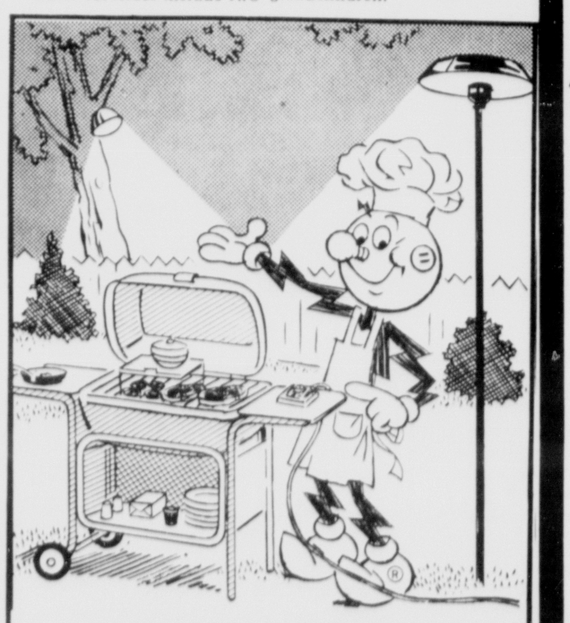

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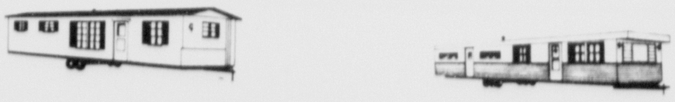

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